COAL CZAR PHELAN'S LAW IS FOR OTHERS; 9 TONS IN HIS OWN BINS

MASSACHUSETTS EMERGENCY FUEL COMMITTEE

STATE HOUSE, ROOM 111

Office State Emergency Fuel Administrator

September 21, 1922.

REGULATIONS COVERING DELIVERY OF COAL

No anthracite coal is to be delivered to any customer having on hand a supply of coal sufficient for thirty days. No anthracite delivery to a single customer should be more than a thirty-day supply, except that in case a thirty-day supply is less than one ton, one ton may be delivered.

All dealers and consumers receiving fuel in car must unload such cars within the twenty-four owing the receipt thereof.

James J. Phelan

Massachusetts Emergency Fuel Administrator.

On December 2nd in order to make what coal was still on hand go further, I had delivered to my house ten and one-half tons of buckwheat coal, costing $10.50 per ton, steam size, and upon which there are no restrictions, as it is a substitute fuel for prepared sizes of anthracite.

On January 24, 1923, being entirely out of range coal, I bought three tons at $16.00 per ton.

James J. Phelan

Massachusetts Emergency Fuel Administrator

HERE IS THE EVIDENCE—Mr. Phelan's Coal Commandments with the fourth one underlined and Mr. Phelan's own statement regarding his coal purchases. Mr. Phelan, himself, is shown in the insert. Did he break his own rule or did he not? The Boston American will present a rubber plated hot water bottle (H T type) to the reader submitting the best reply to this question. Mail your verdict early to the Coal Editor, Boston American.

JAPAN BALKS ON SINCLAIR OIL CONCESSION

Tokio, Feb. 14 (By the Associated Press).—Japan will not recognize any agreement between Russia and any other country concerning concessions of the northern part of the Island of Sagkalien so long as the Japanese occupying a portion of the island, according to a signed statement from Premier Kato and Foreign Minister Uchida which has been sent to the Diet.

The statement was a reply to an interpellation asking what steps the government intended taking regarding a report that the Sibelair Oil Company had been granted a concession by the Soviet regime to prospect for petroleum on the island.

It also was stated in the reply that Japan has expended more than 3,000,000 yen since 1920 in exploiting the Sagkalien oil fields. One field, it was said, has been found rather promising and investigations are continuing.

James J. Phelan, State emergency coal administrator, wrote seven coal commandments.

He sent them broadcast to be religiously followed by dealers and consumers throughout the Commonwealth.

Did Mr. Phelan, as public custodian of coal, break his own fourth commandment to fill his own coal bins?

The Boston American will present a brand new standard size, best grade rubber hot water bottle to the reader who submits the best answer.

The Boston American makes no charges. It simply presents the facts over Mr. Phelan's signature. The decision is left to the public. Mail your answers early.

Says Mr. Phelan's fourth coal commandment:

"No anthracite coal is to be delivered to any customer having on hand a supply of coal sufficient for thirty days. No anthracite delivery to a single customer should be more than a thirty-day supply, except that in case a thirty-day supply is less than one ton, one ton may be delivered."

On Wednesday, February 7, a re-

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F. MINOT WELD AND WIFE ARE LIVING APART

New York, Feb. 14 (By Cosmopolitan News Service).—Mr. and Mrs. Francis Minot Weld, Boston and New York society couple, have ceased to be helpmates.

While at present Mr. Weld is domiciled in the Weld apartment at No. 930 Park avenue, New York, Mrs. Weld and her daughter, Marjorie L. Weld, are making their home further up on that avenue at No. 965, the story said.

The engrossing news of the separation of the Welds caused tremendous surprise in social sets here. The Welds are seldom "in the news" belonging to the most conservative society coterie, which dislikes publicity.

The Welds have occupied a prominent place in Knickerbocker society. Mr. Weld is a graduate of Harvard, class of 1897, and numbers among his clubs such organizations as the Knickerbocker, Brook, Racquet, Tennis, Piping Rock and Riding. Their Boston home is at No. 4 Marlborough street.

REPORT DAUGHERTY IS "VERY SICK MAN"

Washington, Feb. 14 (By International News Service).—General Harry M. Daugherty is "a very sick man," according to word reaching some of his closest friends here today. The Attorney-General is confined to his apartment, seeing no one and transacting no official business. Dr. C. E. Sawyer, the White House physician, and a trained nurse are attending him.

BANK STATEMENT

New York bank clearings..$1,969,000
New York bank balances...98,000,000
Boston bank clearings.....67,000,000
Boston bank balances.....26,000,000
N. Y. Federal Bank, credit..61,000,000

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To the Massachusetts Stockholders of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company:

A hearing on Senate Bill No. 186 has been set for Thursday, February 15, at 10:30 A. M., before the Committee on Taxation, in Room 363 of the State House, Boston.

Your attention is called to Section 2 of the proposed bill which, if it becomes a law, will make dividends received on this Company's stock owned in Massachusetts subject to the Massachusetts Income Tax.

American Telephone and Telegraph Company

GUILTY, DOWNEY PLEA

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TURKS SINK SHIP

14TH CATHOLIC CHURCH BURNS

DOWNEY PLEADS GUILTY

Ex-Clerk Admits Theft From Bank; May Be Witness for State at Trial

Paul F. Downey, former discount and loan clerk of the Federal Trust Company, pleaded guilty in Suffolk Superior Court today to two counts of conspiracy to steal $127,000 from the bank and to seventeen counts of larceny, covering the taking of the money.

Paul F. Downey.

Downey was on trial with Humphrey Lane and Robert L. Flinn, alleged bookmakers, who are charged with larceny and conspiracy in the case. Downey's plea of guilty, made right after the State's opening, was taken by spectators as indication that he would be a State witness against Flinn and Lane.

Canada Gets Coal While We Freeze

New York, Feb. 14. — Anthracite coal, imported from the United States, is being sold from $3 to $4 a ton cheaper in Canada than it is in this country, declared Representative John G. Rogers of Massachusetts before the Interstate Commerce Commission today, in favor of declaring an embargo on coal shipments to Canada.

The commission is conducting a hearing to determine whether such an embargo should be declared.

Rogers declared anthracite coal is pouring into Canada through Detroit, Saratoga and Potsdam, while people of New York and New England are unable to receive any fuel.

An acute coal situation exists in these States, he declared. In 1922, he pointed out, anthracite coal exports to Canada were 30 per cent. above those of 1921, despite scarcity of the product.

FORD BUYS LARGE PLATE GLASS PLANT

Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 14 (By International News Service).—The Ford Motor Company has purchased the Allegheny Plate Glass Company property at Glassmere, near here.

MONTREAL FIREBUG ACTIVE

Explosion Follows Discovery of Suspicious Blaze in Historic Edifice

Montreal, Feb. 14.—The latest of a long series of suspected incendiary fires in Roman Catholic churches in Canada took place here today when flames destroyed Trinity Church.

This church was formerly one of the oldest Anglican churches in Montreal, but recently it was purchased by the Roman Catholic hierarchy as a place of worship by Syrian Catholics.

The fire today was the fourteenth Catholic institution in Canada burned in less than a year.

Smoke was discovered today pouring from the rear windows. Despite the efforts of firemen, the blaze spread. An explosion took place and soon flames were shooting from the roof.

K. K. K. SUSPECTED

This is one of a series of church fires in Canada of recent weeks. A K. K. K. campaign has been suspected.

The one which attracted the most attention was the destruction by fire of the historic Notre Dame Cathedral at Quebec, Dec. 28. The provincial police have been hunting the incendiaries in vain.

Before the church was burned, Mgr. Lafiamme, cure of Notre Dame, received a letter from Montreal, as follows:

"Your church will be burned down on Dec. 28."

The Good Shepherd Convent of St. George de Beauce, about thirty miles from Quebec, was wiped out by fire Jan. 4, with a loss of $100,000.

On January 15 an attempt to destroy St. Mary's Roman Catholic Cathedral at Hamilton, Ont., by fire, resulted in a decision by the Canadian government to investigate the Ku Klux Klan in Canada.

The Sulpician Church, seminary and priest's residence at Oka, Quebec, were destroyed by fire December 6. St. Boniface College, a Catholic institution near Winnipeg, was

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Gigantic Rummage & 2nd Sale at Cadets Armory
Cor. Columbus Ave. and Arlington St.
Thurs., Feb. 15—10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
By Community Service of Boston, Inc.
For aid of
DISABLED SOLDIERS

Today's News in Europe

TURKEY

Constantinople.—The Turkish government at Angora has reiterated its demand that the Allied warships be withdrawn from Smyrna and Ismid.

GERMANY

Berlin.—The Germans of Gelsenkirchen have refused to pay the 100,000,000 marks fine imposed by the French because of the clash between German and French forces there on Monday.

ITALY

Rome.—Several hundred Communists charged with complicity in the Red plot against the Mussolini government, established their innocence and have been released. More than 1,000 prisoners are still under detention.

'GET OUT' IS TURKS' ORDER

London, Feb. 14 (By International News Service).— The Turkish government at Angora has reaffirmed the decision to close the ports of Smyrna and Ismid and has renewed the demand that all foreign warships must leave, according to a dispatch from Constantinople this afternoon quoting advices received there from Angora.

The message quoted the Angora

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SHOPGIRLS SWINDLE VICTIMS

Inter City Probe Reveals 1,000 P. C. Bait Hooked Hundreds of Workers

Shop girls, policemen and street car motormen bought stock in the Inter City Trust Company.

In an effort to recover them and a thousand investors in all, a part of their money, a country-wide probe of the company's affairs are under way. Two Boston men have been arrested. Federal, State and city authorities are seeking a hundred others. The men arrested are E. Leland Mentague, trustee, and George R. Stanford, salesman.

George R. Stanford

In addition to the present action against the Inter City, a Federal Grand Jury action is contemplated in view of the fact that the mails were used to sell the stock.

Much of the land on which the company purchased options is worthless. The balance of it is so badly tied up, investigation shows, that there are no chances to realize anything out of these holdings.

Among those sought are fifty salesmen, who gave fictitious ad-

Turn Over.

WEST END FLOODED AS FIRE ENGINE HITS HYDRANT

Thousands of gallons of water today flooded cellars and streets off Bowdoin square when Tower One of Bulfinch street fire station skidded into a hydrant at Green and Chardon streets, West End.

Heavy damage was caused by the floods in cellars along Chardon, Hawkins, Merrimac, Portland and one or two smaller streets. In some cases the water reached a depth of four to five feet. Gasoline pumps were brought from different parts of the city and were put in charge of emergency crews under direction of Engineer J. W. Ryan of the Fire Department.

Hundreds of spectators watched the hydrant spout geyser-like, while scores of workers in factories and officers along the water-covered streets remained indoors during the lunch period.

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Greaseless Hair Dressing
KEEPS HAIR IN PLACE
Before Women—Use It Before Curling Hair—It Makes the Curl Last
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AT BARBERS AND DRUG STORES.—T. BOSHAN & SONS CO., BOSTON, MASS.

REPORT TURKS SINK FRENCH WARSHIP

London, Feb. 14.—A French destroyer is reported to have been sunk by gunfire from Turkish forts at Smyrna, said a Constantinople dispatch to the Daily News this afternoon.

UNANIMOUS FOR 48-HOUR BILL

Concord, N. H., Feb. 14.—The Labor Committee of the House, headed by Rev. Ora W. Craig, reported unanimously today in favor of the forty-eight-hour bill. This committee has nine Democrats and six Republicans. A vote on the measure will be taken later in the day.

THE WEATHER

Boston and Vicinity: Fair and colder tonight; Thursday fair and continued cold; fresh to strong westerly winds.

Sun rises at 6:43; sets at 5:15.
Moon rises at 5:49.
High tide at 10:23 a. m.; 10:54 p. m.
Temperatures: Maximum, 18 at 10 a. m.; minimum, 10 at 4 a. m.; average 27.5.
Light all vehicles at 5:45 p. m.

Today

(By ARTHUR BRISBANE)

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INTER CITY SALESMEN FLED AFTER QUICK "CLEAN-UP"

50 SENT HERE FROM NEW YORK GAVE FALSE ADDRESSES TO STATE OFFICIALS

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dresses when they registered as prescribed by "Blue Sky law" regulation. One of these, the police are particularly anxious to get. He is the man whose "approach" with women prospects of advanced years was:

"You remind me of my mother. I would like to interest you in some stock."

To men he would declare:

"You remind me of my father, and with you I would do just as I would do with him."

The latter "approach" resulted in the acquisition, in exchange for Inter City Trust stock, of a Belgian bond valued at $1,040 from Rev. Charles W. Duffield of St. Luke's Church, Allston.

Sums ranging from $100 to $1,000 were invested by motormen and conductors of the North Cambridge division, it was learned. Very many tell the same story. A thousand per cent. promised! Police say a million dollars lost! Fifty indictments have been secured.

DELUGE OF COMPLAINTS.

It is alleged that the mails were used in selling stock. The exact amount received from this source is not known, investigators say, but it was enough to set Federal investigators hard at work.

The local district attorney's office and police headquarters have been deluged with written affidavits of victims.

The salesmen, say the police, were the type always to be found in a venture of the sort they are trying to prove was the Inter City Trust. "The most cowardly breed in the world," one official described them. "We can admire the courage which sometimes actuates a highwayman, but the low-down 'grafter' who sells phoney stocks is the lowest type of crook in America."

BROKERS FACE JAIL.

George R. Stanford of the Alphin Hotel, South End, is the latest to be arrested. S. Leland Montague of Cambridge, trustee of the company, was the first. Stanford is charged with selling worthless stock of the Inter City Trust Company.

Brokers in Boston who handled the company's stock also face prosecution.

Before the "Crager System" of New York became interested in the plan of the Inter City Trust, say the police, the work of disposing of stock was entrusted to local agents and brokers. Last August 21, however, all salesmen in these parts were discharged.

A flying squadron of New York salesmen was then assigned to this district. They "brushed up" on their sales talk on the train and possessed themselves of local "sucker" lists and the "clients" of the company when they landed in town. Then they went to work.

GILDED PROMISES.

They "cleaned up," say the police. Word pictures of Rolls-Royces, Winters at Palm Beach, falls at Catalina, tours of Europe, spacious estates on the land of the company, to be bought later by the "prospects"—all the old stuff—was the police say employed. This type of crook, the authorities say, works fast, makes his haul and gets away. They are hard to trace. But the authorities are hopeful, they declare.

"The Crager System," which they represented, has as a slogan "We Sell Anything!" When the State authorities realized that they had another "German marks," "silvers" and "coppers" gang of campaigners in the State, they barred the "flying fifty" from New York. On September 28, the vigilance committee of the Associated Advertising Clubs of America branded the "Crager System" a fraud. The Public Utilities Commission then renewed activities against the Inter City Trust Company.

Acting on behalf of Leonard Etherington of Cambridge, Attorney Percy A. Guthrie filed in United States Court a petition asking for the removal of Fred H. Williams as receiver for the company.

CHARGE $750,000 GONE.

Guthrie stated that of $1,000,000 obtained from investors, $750,000 was dissipated, while $250,000 was invested in real estate. His petition charges that Frank E. Sweetser of Brookline, who became, trustee of the trust when Montague and Frank M. Morton, whom he names as trustee, quit, and Sweetser's brother-in-law, Charles M. Storey of Boston, "mismanaged the trust to the extent that it is now in its present precarious predicament."

WOMAN CAUSED ARREST.

"I knew that real estate offers great possibilities for profit," said Mrs. Fannie Kingman, of No. 80 Corey road, Brookline, one of the investors. "I had perfect confidence in Mr. Montague, although I had never seen him. All the salesman had to do to convince me was to show me his signature.

"I transferred to him forty-two shares of Metropolitan Credit Company stock valued at $2,625. The minute I signed my name I felt doubt. I soon got in touch with Mrs. Jennings, an agent who sold me my original shares. She said Montague had overstepped his legal powers. We got busy and his arrest is the result.

BLAMES N. Y. CLIQUE.

"Remember, his local deals were apparently on the level. Blake Park, Brookline, is one of his developments. Ex-Governor Bates has a house built there, and so have others whom I know personally."

"It is the New York bunch of agents and salesmen that ought to be arrested, not us," said Stanford after his arrest. "I sold securities for the Truer till July, when I took a clerical position. Mr. Montague directed my work and I trusted him.

"Everything was absolutely proper until the New York brokerage firm took hold. On August 21 all the old salesmen, including myself, were discharged in a telegram from Mr. Small, who then resigned as executive secretary.

CLAIMS FIRM IS "SOUND."

"The 'phoney' work came in September, so we are certainly clear. The shareholders have confidence in us. Properly administered there are $1,000,000 assets gross and at least $10 a share can be paid. Therefore we are fighting to reserve control for the stockholders we represent.

"The petition of bankruptcy has never been heard. Fred Williams is temporary receiver. We insist, however, that the company is solvent.

"The Trust owns 709,000 feet of land in Brookline, 1,000,000 feet in Lowell, the same in Andover and 3,000,000 feet in Manchester, N. H. At one dollar a foot in Brookline, ten cents in Lowell, six to eight in Andover and Manchester, the total value is around $1,000,000, based on selling values. The net profit would be over half a million."

Pictured N. H. Holdings in Excess of $100,000

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 14.—Gilt salesmen for the Inter City Trust Company in parts of New Hampshire made such glowing reference to property in this city that investors pictured the holdings here worth $100,000 or more.

City assessors estimate $18,146 as a fair valuation.

Perhaps it was the superlative descriptions of the "live wire" stock sellers from New York that first caused John J. Donahue, administrator of the Blue Sky Law, to view with suspicion the operations of the Inter City Trust and its casualty referred to profits of several hundred per cent.

Donahue started a probe which caused him to call at the Boston office in the guise of a possible buyer of stock. What he learned caused him to summon S. Leland Montague, the managing director, to Concord and there turn over certificates to withdraw all his salesmen from New Hampshire. A formal order was issued later.

The stopping of stock sales occurred more than a year ago and this was before the flying squadron of imported sales experts had much opportunity to canvas the fertile field offered in this State. However, it is estimated that $40,000 of New Hampshire money rolled into the Inter City Trust coffers.

HANDY BAG COUPON

No. 6 Clip It Now!

Present this coupon with two others clipped from the Boston American on consecutive days, with 33 cents, at the first floor of the Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, and receive one of Boston's New Handy Bags.

(Note—If you want it sent by mail send 5 cents extra. Address Handy Bag Dept., Boston American.)

NEW THREAT OF WAR BY TURKS

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government as announcing that the decision was "irrevocable."

The entry of Greek ships into Turkish ports has been forbidden.

Marseilles, Feb. 14.—Smyrna harbor is thoroughly laid with mines that extend far out to sea, according to the captain of the steamer Pierre Loti, which arrived here today. He said that when he attempted to enter the harbor the forts signalled if he did so it would be on his own responsibility. He then requested a Turkish pilot and after waiting in vain for twenty-four hours put the ship on her course for Marseilles.

Athens, Feb. 14.—A model refugee village constructed in a suburb with the aid of funds contributed by Greeks in America was opened yesterday with appropriate ceremonies. The cottages, built of brick, are fifteen feet square. The village has accommodations for 3000 refugees.

SELLING SELF TO BROOKLINE

A crew of real estate salesmen made a house to house canvass in Brookline today, attempting to sell to the citizens a human being.

That is to say, these salesmen were trying to sell their boss Louis H. Bonelli, Jr., of Corey Hill, Brookline. Bonelli is a member of a real estate and land development firm at No. 60 State street, Boston. Politically he is fighting the local "machine," which consists of a citizens' committee of 100. Up to the present this committee has more or less run the political situation in Brookline.

Bonelli, who is a candidate for selectman, is trying his new tactics of using salesmen on the theory that a candidate is really offering himself for sale and that the votes are units of purchase. Bonelli is determined to smash what he terms the "Fisher Hill Oligarchy."

Berlin—A bathhouse has been installed within the city's largest railway station, so that travelers may take a bath while waiting for trains.

NUDE, CHARRED, HACKED BODY FOUND IN SNOW

(By International News Service.)

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Police today followed three theories in an effort to solve the mysterious murder of a man whose nude and mutilated body was found deep in a dense grove near Geneva, Ill., last night. The victim had been shot twice and hacked to death.

The police clews were:

1.—That the death plot may have been the result of a clash between rum runners.

2.—That the slayer might have been an outraged husband.

3.—That the dead man was a member of a robber band and was killed by his companions.

The body was found by Robert Johnson, a farmhand. It was nude. Knife thrusts had rent the torso. Two bullets had pierced the body, one showing just above the heart. Both hands were hacked off at the wrists. Rags sealed with oil had been piled upon the face and ignited. The face was practically burned away.

The thoroughness of the mutilation almost precludes identification. Footprints in the snow indicated that two men had carried the victim from an automobile left standing in the road to the hollow.

Residents near the grove told of hearing the automobile, but heard no cries of the tortured man.

It was the theory of the police that the hands had been mutilated and disposed of in order to prevent identification through finger prints.

THOUSANDS DELAYED BY MISHAP ON "L"

Several thousand residents of Roslindale and West Roxbury, who use the Spring Street-Charles River trolley line, were delayed in reaching work today as a result of a trailer car breaking from its leader near the end of the line.

Not a car moved inbound for more than thirty minutes.

Jordan Marsh Company

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The Famous Store Within a Store For the Sale of the Less Expensive Merchandise

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Silk and Wool Neckwear 65c

A popular non-wrinkable men's tie, made up in a clever assortment of colors and designs.

Men's Imported English Collars

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Sold only in dozen lots

Standing tab wing collars; one style in round corner tab, three heights; one style in square corner tab, three heights; one style turn-down collar.

Men's Soft Collars

AT **10c** *EACH*

Silks and piques in the lot. Fine piques and madras materials. Variety of popular styles.

Exceptional Value

Women's Silk Umbrellas 3.50

Colored silk with various style borders and tape edges, together with an excellent assortment of fancy handles, at this special price because irregular weave.

Very Good Value

Leather Goods

ONLY **25c** *EACH*

Everything in leather—bill folds, card cases, cigar cases, cigarette cases, etc. Sample line and discontinued numbers.

Women's Comfort Shoes

Also Boots, Oxfords and Strap Slippers

ONLY **1.95** *A PAIR*

Made with turn soles and rubber heels. Sizes 4 to 9. All very special values.

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Madeira Scarfs—Scarfs for side boards, buffets, dressers, table runners, etc. The solid and eyelet work is real art. A truly remarkable lot. Sizes are from 36 inches up to 54 inches, a few up to 72 inches long. EACH **6.95**

Madeira Napkins, hand embroidered corners, size 13 inches, eyelet and conventional work, fine quality Irish Linen. EACH **58c**

Madeira Doylies, beautiful embroidery, fine quality linen, sizes 10 in. and 5½x12 in., practically all solid embroidery. Remarkable values at this low price.

Madeira Lunch Cloths..10.95	Madeira Lunch Sets....14.45
Madeira Centers, 36 in.. 7.95	Madeira Cloths, 72 in.. 23.95
Madeira Doylies, 6 in... .35	Madeira Scarfs, all sizes 4.35
Madeira Doylies, 8 in.... .48	Madeira Lunch Sets.... 8.95
Madeira Napkins ..... .85	Madeira Cloths 72 in.. 20.95

Irish Satin Damask Cloths and Napkins

Irish Satin Damask Table Cloths, size 2x2 yds. Lovely snow white double damask in most graceful designs. This quality is one of the outstanding values in our sale. EACH **8.00**

Napkins to match, 24-inch size, doz. **12.00**

Irish Satin Damask Cloths, size 70x70 in. Fine quality pure Irish linen. This special lot consists of just one hundred cloths and are a real value. EACH **5.75**

Matching Napkins, size 22 inches, doz. **7.75**

Cloths, 70x90 in.....7.45	Cloths, 69 in. square....4.35
Matching Napkins 7.75	Matching Napkins 8.00

Bedding

Hemmed Ripple Spreads. Prices.....1.85, 2.15, 2.25	**Wool Puffs,** plain shades, 7.95
Damask Bed Sets, full size 9.50	**Silk Puffs** 18.00
Tufted Bed Spreads. Prices 6.75, 7.50	**Wool Puffs,** figured tops, 8.95
Down Puffs 12.75	**Blankets,** part wool....6.75
	Blankets, full size, plaid, 10.95
	Blankets, plaid, all wool, 12.95
	Blankets, part wool....12.00

Sheets, Pillow Cases

Hemmed Sheets, 63x99....1.38	
Hemmed Sheets, 63x108..1.60	
Hemmed Sheets, 72x99....1.65	
Hemmed Sheets, 72x108..1.75	
Hemmed Sheets, 81x99....1.75	
Hemmed Sheets, 81x108..1.90	
Hemmed Pillow Slips, 42x36½... 39c	
Hemmed Sheets, 81x99....1.69	

Towels

Towels, damask borders..75c	
Linen Towels 2.15	
Old Bleach Towels, 1.00 to 3.00	
Turkish Towels. Price.....50c	

Linen Huck Towels, 45c

Size 18x32 in., all linen with hemstitched ends, fine quality huck.

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$3.00

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Misses' Long Sleeve Slip-ons

Women's sizes, too, 36 to 44. ALL WOOL, of course, in weaves and colors pretty enough to wear with your newest Spring clothes. Box pattern weaves in navy, buff and silver. $1.29

Big Lot Boys' Wash Suits

3 of many styles!

Guaranteed fast color! Sizes 3 to 8! Peggy cloth, cotton linene, chambray, cotton pongee and poplin. Middy, Etons, Russian, junior Norfolk and novelty styles. Plain colors, stripes and combinations. 95c

All Wool Suits

All wool jerseys and tweeds. Middy and button-on styles. Brown heather and tweed mixtures. Sizes 3 to 8. THURSDAY. $3.95

Women's Kid Gauntlet Gloves

Very high grade! And looks it! Strap wrist—mode shade with embroidered back in a contrasting color. $1.59

Men's and Women's Part Wool Gloves 39c

Self-Acting Reduction Plan

Goods must sell quickly or be reduced
25% after 12 selling days
50% after 18 selling days
75% after 24 selling days
Given away after 30 selling days

$1.00 for gingham dress

Women's Gingham Dresses $1

Located in the New Section!

Wise folks will follow the green arrows EARLY Thursday! Styles and tailoring very unusual in dresses priced so LOW! Excellent quality checked ginghams. Vestees, cuffs, collar and fancy pockets trimmed with white organdie.

→ Boston's ONLY Self-Acting Reduction Basement Giving Legal Stamps ←

THE WEATHER
Boston and Vicinity: Wednesday snow; Thursday generally fair and colder; fresh to strong west and northwest winds.
Moon rises 5:48 a. m.
High tide 10:23 a. m.; 10:54 p. m.

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BOSTON, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1923

COLD WAVE TO STRIKE BOSTON

Germans Refuse to Pay Big Fine

Today

$125,000 A Year Not Much

Turks Want More Babies

France Welcomes Any Kind

Women's Good Hearts

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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SENATORS ARE SHOCKED to learn that Alfred C. Bedford and Walter C. Teagle, presidents of two Standard Oil Companies, are paid $125,000 each per year.

That is not much for men that can handle business running into hundreds of millions. Five minutes of intelligent thinking in any one department would soon make a difference of $125,000 three times over.

It is to be hoped the Rockefellers allow them an opportunity to make a little something "on the side."

THE TURKS, DETERMINED to have more population, propose a law that would compel marriage. It also orders in each family "one child every three years."

If enforcement of this law proves feasible, twenty-five years would see the population of Anatolia rise from 5,000,000 to 48,000,000. Think what that would mean if it happened all over the world. Luckily, the Lord seen to it "that the trees don't grow into the heavens."

WHILE TURKS "order" a definite number of children with each marriage, the French in the Ardennes have determined to encourage child birth of any kind. Low birth rate in France, and high rate across the German frontier, give France the nightmare.

The Ardennes, inhabited by German troops in war, and Allied troops later, has a considerable "unmarried mothers" problem. A recent ordinance allows any prospective mother to go to the hospital, and leave, taking her baby with her, when she is well, without giving any name or explanation. She puts her name in a sealed envelope for identification, in case she should di . .

There are pure minds to whom such an arrangement seems immoral, dangerous. It is, however, not as dangerous for the baby as throwing it in the ash barrel, which happens frequently in this more moral country.

MRS. MAURER, of New York, says: "Please print something about the poor convicts in the South."

Mrs. Zelia, of California, says: "Please praise wonderful work that the Quakers are doing among the starving in Russia."

Women are interested in good, noble things; men in profitable things, as a general rule.

THE QUAKERS, buying horses with great business sense, sending them to starving Russian peasants to plow and raise crops, make you wonder how it happens that a handful of Quakers in this war have displayed more unselfish, efficient, persistent and intelligent charity than all other branches of Christianity combined.

THE LADY INTERESTED in Southern convicts sends the unanimous opinion of Georgia's State Prison Commission that convicts must be lashed. You can't get work out of them on the roads without the lash. It seems, and they need lashing also in the convicts' camps. Each State knows its own business best. But that a community should lash men to their work in public slavery, so long after abolishing lashing in private slavery, is not easily understood. And where do they find the cowards, willing for pay, to lash a man with ball and chain on his leg?

SOME OF OUR troubles Europe would share. For instance, half of all the gold in the world is in the United States. About $4,500,000,000. That's bad, says Mr. Crissinger, Comptroller of the Currency; the supply should be diminished in some way. Some Americans less well informed will think the other way, and ask themselves:

"If in all the world there are only $9,000,000,000 in gold, and if half of that gold is here, just how was Germany expected to pay $33,000,000,000 in gold, nearly four times the world's total supply, as part of her indemnity?"

THE DEPARTMENT of Commerce announces orders for new locomotives at the end of January the largest since monthly statistics have been kept. This means that railroads are trying to build up and renew their exhausted equipment. It also means, evidently, that the present highest on record railroad rates leave a little something over to buy new machinery. That would be good news to people that lack coal and have seen tracks covered with full coal cars, lacking engines able to pull them.

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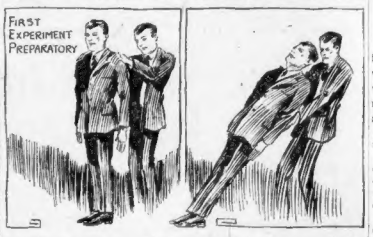
Every thought entirely filling our mind becomes true for us and tends to transform itself into action.

Thus if you can make a sick person think that her trouble is getting better, it will disappear; if you succeed in making a kleptomaniac think that he will not steal any more, he will cease to steal, etc., etc.

This training which perhaps seems to you an impossibility, is, however, the simplest thing in the world. It is enough, by a series of appropriate and graduated experiments, to teach the subject, as it were the A B C of conscious thought, and here is the series: by following it to the letter one can be absolutely sure of obtaining a good result, except with the two categories of persons mentioned above.

First experiment Preparatory.—Ask the subject to stand upright, with the body as stiff as an iron bar, the feet close together from toe to heel, while keeping the ankles flexible as if they were hinges. Tell him to make himself like a plank with hinges at its base, which is balanced on the ground. Make him notice that if one pushes the plank slightly either way it falls as a mass without any resistance, in the direction in which it is pushed. Tell him that you are going to pull him back by the



shoulders and that he must let himself fall in your arms without the slightest resistance, turning on his ankles as on hinges, that is to say keeping the feet fixed to the ground. Then pull him back by the shoulders and if the experiment does not succeed, repeat it until it does, or nearly so.

Second experiment.—Begin by explaining to the subject that in order to demonstrate the action of the imagination upon us, you are going to ask him in a moment to think: "I am falling backwards, I am falling backwards . . . ." Tell him that he must have no thought but this in his mind, that he must not reflect or wonder if he is going to fall or not, or think that if he falls he may hurt himself, etc., or fall back purposely to please you, but that if he really feels something impelling him to fall backwards, he must not resist but obey the impulse.

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To Be Continued Tomorrow.

MILLIONS IN GEMS BURIED BY N. Y. FIRE

New York, Feb. 14.—A fortune in gems, gold and silver, estimated at $2,000,000 and upwards, lies buried today in safes in the smouldering wreckage of a six-story office building that was destroyed by fire in Maiden Lane, the jewel centre of the world.

More than sixty jewelers and allied tradesmen occupied the building. When the walls and floors collapsed, the safes were sent tumbling into the deep cellar.

Experts said that the valuables undoubtedly would be found intact. Bluecoats from ten police precincts and a hundred private policemen were sent to guard the ruins. Nearby streets were roped off.

Historic St. John's Church, separated from the burning building by a four-foot alleyway, was several times in danger.

8TH CATHOLIC CHURCH BURNS

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destroyed November 25, and ten students lost their lives.

The dental school of the Catholic University of Montreal was damaged twice by fire within the past three months, and Juvenant College was damaged in the fire which devastated the village of Terrebonne on December 1.

In Montreal three other important churches were consumed. In smaller churches there have been a score of lesser fires. The fire at the congregation of Notre Dame Convent, Pointe aux Trembles, represented a large loss.

WOMAN ARRESTED IN KENTUCKY BOMBING

San Bernardino, Cal., Feb. 14.—Mrs. Izora McHilton was arrested today on an indictment charging her with having dynamited a house at Williamsburg, Ky., occupied by shop employes of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad during a strike. Mrs. McHilton was in company with her husband, Dudley McHilton, now employed at the Santa Fe shops at Barstow, Cal., when arrested. She denies the charge.

PATROLS START DYNAMITING ICEBERGS

New York, Feb. 14.—Equipped with dynamite and cannon to destroy icebergs in the North Atlantic shipping lanes, the ice patrol of the coast guard is preparing to set forth on its annual task of clearing away these menaces to navigation.

THE WEATHER

Boston and Vicinity: Wednesday snow; Thursday generally fair and colder; fresh to strong west and northwest winds.

Moon rises 5:48 a. m.

High tide 10:23 a. m.; 10:54 p. m.

MERCURY IN FOR BIG SLUMP

Intense Cold Wave Now Gripping West Sweeping Toward Boston

A cold wave, accompanied by fresh to strong westerly winds, will sweep across Boston and vicinity tonight, bringing the mercury down to around 5 above zero.

The cold wave will linger here through Friday and possibly longer.

This was the official forecast today. It brought terror to the hearts of those who have been unable to procure enough coal to keep warm even at the higher temperatures.

Nearly the entire country was shivering under winter's fiercest grip. Temperatures of from zero to 36 below were officially reported from the north and northwest today.

Railways in the central northwest were seriously hampered, and in many localities were entirely blocked by the fine thin snow which drifted back almost as soon as the ploughs cleared it away.

SEVEN DEATHS.

Reports from throughout the storm area indicated seven deaths directly attributable to the severe weather. At Pine City, Minn., four children were burned to death when their home was fired by an overheated stove.

At Seattle, Wash., one man died from inhaling smoke while trying to thaw frozen water pipes. An elderly woman and a little boy were killed in a fire at Regina, Sask.

In the wake of the storm in the Northwest trains were reported stalled by snowdrifts and transportation and communication generally demoralized. Thermometer readings in that section ranged from 4 to 32 degrees below zero.

Passenger and freight trains in the Rocky Mountain region were either stalled or materially delayed by snowdrifts.

125 MILES AN HOUR.

A blizzard in Saskatchewan and Manitoba interrupted transportation in those Canadian provinces.

A violent windstorm in the high Sierras did considerable property damage in the towns of Independence, Keeler, Lone Pine and Cartago, demolishing cottages and damaging a soda ash plant at Cartago and bringing down telephone, telegraph and electric power lines at various points.

Recording instruments at Independence were blown down after registering a wind velocity of 80 miles an hour, the Weather Bureau reported, while at Cartago the gale was reported to be 125 miles an hour.

The cold wave spilt when it struck the crest of the Rocky Mountains in Wyoming and both sections missed Denver so that the zero temperatures predicted for that city failed to appear.

The crest of the cold wave was forecast to reach Chicago Thursday morning, sending the mercury to ten below. Earlier today the thermometer stood at six above, a drop of twenty-eight degrees in fourteen hours.

CHARLESTOWN PRIEST 76 YEARS OLD TODAY

The Rev. Fr. John W. McMahon, D. D., pastor of St. Mary's Church, Warren street, Charlestown, and the oldest living alumnus of the American College at Rome, is today receiving congratulations on the occasion of his seventy-sixth birthday anniversary.

Rev. J. W. McMahon.

Fr. McMahon has been stationed in his present pastorate for over forty years, having previously served as a curate at St. Stephen's Church, North End. He is one of the oldest and best known priests in the archdiocese. During his pastorate the present church, parochial school, convent, rectory and parish house were built.

Carnival for Ellis Memorial

SUSAN FLINT
(Photo by Bachrach).

Boston society girl, who, with others, is to appear in Valentine drill at Ellis Memorial skating carnival.

MILLIONAIRE IN FIGHT FOR W. VA. MINERS' UNION

New York, Feb. 14 (By International News Service).—The intensive effort to drive a wedge into Logan County, West Virginia, to "establish freedom of speech and assemblage" for the American Civil Liberties Union and District No. 17 of the United Mine Workers of America will be led by Captain Crane Gartz, multi-millionaire of Chicago and Pasadena, Cal., it was learned today.

With young Gartz will be public officials, ministers and attorneys. The meeting probably will be held within ten days.

A counter injunction to the one the miners' officials have applied for to stop the Logan County coal operators from interfering with their meeting and subsequent attempts to organize the miners was issued on behalf of the coal operators by Circuit Court Judge Robert Bland. This injunction which virtually prohibits the announced intention of holding a meeting in Logan will be ignored, if it is made to apply to the men, who propose to speak there, Gartz said today.

GEDDES SERIOUSLY ILL FROM GRIPPE

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—The British embassy today announced that Ambassador Sir Auckland Geddes was seriously ill from the grippe and that he would be confined to his bed for several days. The ambassador had a high temperature, according to the statement, but no danger was developments are expected, Sir Auckland having promptly called in his physicians when afflicted. The ambassador had arranged for several speaking engagements, all of which have been cancelled.

Sir Auckland Geddes

Pittsburgh—The Pittsburgh Dispatch, for seventy-eight years Pittsburgh's leading morning newspaper, ceased publication this morning. The good will and other assets have been purchased by the other newspapers of Pittsburgh.

BIG FRIEND WON MISS FREDERICK

Actress Says She Found She Had Signed Away 10 P. C. of Pay

Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—George Edwin Joseph, New York attorney, plaintiff in an action to obtain $36,000 for professional services from Pauline Frederick, actress, "had a way about him," according to a deposition from Miss Frederick, which, with other papers, were before the court today, the case having been taken under advisement.

"I met him at a hotel," Miss Frederick's deposition read, "and found he had a most pleasing manner. He seemed to have a way about him that at once won my confidence. I told him all my troubles and he promised to be a great big friend to me. He was going to help me and when he asked me to sign a paper, I did it without thinking."

The "paper" was a short statement giving Joseph 10 per cent. of her salary on contracts for motion picture work he might obtain for her, and he obtained one calling for $7,500 a week.

Miss Frederick's countersuit against Joseph for $46,467 which she alleged he owed her on several counts, as well as his action against her, was taken under advisement, each side being allowed twenty days to file briefs.

"Did you have any conversation with him at this time other than that of a special character?" was one question appearing in Miss Frederick's deposition after she had said she had met Mr. Joseph in a social way.

"Why, yes, I think we started to talk about business," was the reply. "I told him most of my troubles."

"Did you volunteer the information about your troubles or did he question you about them?"

"I think he questioned me. I told him I was very unhappy in my married life."

WEAVER'S DAUGHTER WINS TRIP TO EGYPT

New York, Feb. 14.—Hazel Burnham Slaughter, a pretty young American artist, was awarded the Tait-Ankh-amen scholarship by Horace E. Cheney at the International Silk Show. She will journey to Egypt to study Egyptian art for American silk designs.

Hazel B. Slaughter
International News Reel Photo

In making this award Mr. Cheney declared the Egyptian excavation will give inspiration to American fashion and decoration. Miss Slaughter, the daughter of a hand weaver of Hartford, Ct., is the first to receive such recognition.

HAMMER SLAYER SEEN IN MEXICO

Los Angeles, Feb. 14.—Governor Enrimues of Chihuahua, Mexico, has ordered the arrest of Mrs. Clara Phillips, escaped hammer murderess. Reports have reached Sheriff Traeger of Los Angeles that Mrs. Phillips, who escaped from jail after being convicted of slaying Mrs. Alberta Meadows with a hammer, was seen recently in Chihuahua city.

Film Star Is Back a Bride

International News Reel Photo
MABEL NORMAND.

MISS NORMAND WED? YOU'VE GOT TO GUESS!

New York, Feb. 14.—Mabel Normand, film actress, is married. The secret of her marriage to an American while in England last December was revealed when Miss Normand arrived here on the White Star liner Baltic.

Known only to a few intimates, Miss Normand's marriage was to have been a secret. But when reporters noted a diamond studded platinum marriage ring Miss Normand blushed and quickly said:

"O, I should have worn my glove and not let you fellows in on the secret. Ooch, but he's adorable."

Pressed for further details, Miss Normand said:

"Not another word. I wont tell you who he is, what he is or where he is. Ooch, but he's grand."

Later she said:

"Ah, I was only kidding. I'm not married. Honest!"

But friends of Miss Normand aboard the boat admitted that Miss Normand's original statement of her marriage was correct. One told of the actress' marriage to "a middle aged American in London last December."

OFFICIALS UNDER ARREST

French Said to Have Beaten Prisoners in Town Where Clash Occurred

Hamm, Germany, Feb. 14 (By International News Service).—Representatives of all the Ruhr workers' organizations met their employers in conference here today, pledging themselves to "fight French invasion to the finish."

Berlin, Feb. 14. (By the Associated Press).—The municipality of Gelsenkirchen, according to advices received here, has declined to pay the fine of 100,000,000 marks demanded by the French as penalty for the clash between German police and French gendarmes Monday.

Dusseldorf, Feb. 14 (By the Associated Press).—As a result of the Gelsenkirchen clash between German police and French troops on Monday, the French retain in custody thirty-two officials arrested in connection with the incident.

One report from German sources declares that the men arrested, including the burgomaster and the chief of police, were subjected to a beating.

This city has been considerably inconvenienced by the patriotism of German telephone girls, who walked out rather than work with a French operator whom the officers brought to the exchange. Service was immediately stopped.

The expulsion of German functionaries for refusing to carry out the orders of the French has extended to Vohwinkel. The burgomaster and the chief of police have been forced to leave town.

Germans Lose Rhine by New Seizures

Dusseldorf, Feb. 14.—Yesterday's occupation of Emmerich and Wesel, cuts Germany's outlet to the sea by way of the Rhine. It gives France control of the river from the Ruhr to the Netherlands.

Under the Treaty of Versailles the Allies also got possession of German docks and other shipping facilities at Rotterdam, so they now control all German traffic on this chief commercial European river.

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BILL HART'S WIFE PUSHES SUIT; SPURNS A RECONCILIATION

FILM HERO'S MATE REJECTS SETTLEMENT OF $150,000

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 14.—"Not only is there no chance of a reconciliation, but all hopes of an amicable adjustment of the difficulties between myself and my husband have vanished."

With these words Winifred Westover Hart, whose marriage and quick separation from William S. Hart, hero of countless Western screen dramas, electrified the Hollywood motion picture colony several months ago, announced that their marital differences would be fought out in the courts.

During the coming week, according to Mrs. Hart, her attorney, Milton M. Cohen, will file a suit for divorce, alleging extreme cruelty. A part of the suit will be a contract of settlement made by Hart on his wife at the time of their separation.

BARRED HER FROM FILMS.

Many of the terms in this settlement have proved the bone of contention over which negotiations between the two have been wrecked.

While both of the interested parties have refused to make public the contents of this document, it has been learned that one of the clauses prohibits Mrs. Hart from ever appearing on the screen.

In fact, so determined was her husband upon this point that she is even forbidden to have her pictures taken. While the amount settled upon Mrs. Hart is said to have established a record among motion picture actors, Hart was adamant on the matter of her ever using his name for theatrical purposes.

But Mrs. Hart is young and beautiful—even in a city noted for the pulchritude of its women. Her fairness had already won her favorable comment before her marriage to Hart.

SEEKS FAME FOR HERSELF.

And, also, she is ambitious. From friends it has been learned that she is determined to carve a niche for herself in the hall of fame and believes that this end can be best accomplished by means of the screen. One of these friends said:

"At the time Winifred signed the property settlement she was scarcely in her right mind. She was about to become a mother. Her estrangement from her husband, with whom she was passionately in love, had left her in a deplorable condition. She would have signed away her life at that time. She thought there was a chance she and 'Bill' might become reconciled. However, that is now a thing of the past.

"She has now determined to put the past behind her and live for the sake of her baby. Nobody deplores the necessity of a suit more than she does."

Mrs. Hart is known to be dissatisfied with certain sections of the financial settlement. It is understood that the money, said to be in the neighborhood of $150,000, was not turned over to Mrs. Hart outright, but that it is held in trust for her.

An additional settlement of $100,000 is said to have been made by the screen hero on his son.

WILSON'S DAUGHTER RAPS TRAINING CAMPS

Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, daughter of former President Wilson, condemned military training of youth, as carried on in Summer camps, before the local branch of Women's International League for Peace and Freedom at the rooms of the Twentieth Century Club.

Mrs. Francis B. Sayre. Photo by Waite

Mrs. Sayre spoke in detail of the horrors of war, of the new gas to be used in modern warfare, which would wipe out the whole of Boston in three hours, and called upon all women of the organization to get facts about war and military training.

LADY ELIZABETH PICKS BRIDESMAIDS

London, Feb. 14.—The list of bridesmaids selected by Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon to attend her at the wedding to the Duke of York in Westminster Abbey April 26 follows: Princess Maud, Ladies Mary and May Cambridge, cousins of the Duke; Lady Mary Chyne, Lady Betty Hamilton, Honorable Diamond Jerome, daughter of the British ambassador to Paris; Elisabeth Elphinstone and Cecilia Bowes-Lyon, the latter a niece of the bride.

May Cambridge

Lady Elizabeth has given proof of her love for her "adopted country" by ordering part of her bridal trousseau in Dundee, instead of being completely fitted out by London's court designers.

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Dedham Society Matron Frequent Hostess at Palm Beach, Says Betty Alden

By BETTY ALDEN.

THE Robert E. Stones of Chestnut Hill will soon be domiciled for a sojourn at their cottage in Camden, S. C. Mr. Stone and his son, David, have already arrived at the Southern resort, while Mrs. Stone and daughter, Helen, are to join them next week.

Blonde-haired Helen Stone was one of the prominent buds of the season, and with her tall, slender figure she made quite a picture at the Animated Advertising Adventure last month, when she stepped onto the stage and down the runway out of a huge cake of ice. Her costume was a radiant affair of silver—I think she herself was supposed to be an icicle—which she wore to the supper-dance which Mr. and Mrs. James Cushing Bayley gave later that evening for their bud daughter, Miss Helen Bayley. Most all the girls who had been "animators" at the show attended the Bayley dance in their costumes, which lent to this particular affair rather a distinctive note.

MRS. CHARLES L. HARDING of Dedham continues to stand out as one of the most frequent entertainers at Palm Beach, to which resort Mrs. Harding hies herself for a long season at the very first signs of cold. The other day she gave a large luncheon at the Palm Beach Country Club. Speaking of Palm Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Livingston and the latter's father, William MacNeil Rodewald, have arrived there from South Carolina, where they have been shooting. Mr. Rodewald's son, William Rodewald, Jr., will marry Miss Dorothea Amory Codman of Boston next June. Miss Codman, a member of the 1919-20 Sewing Circle, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund D. Codman of Beacon street. At present Mr. Rodewald, who graduated from Harvard with the class of '20, is studying at the Harvard Law School.

A REPRESENTATIVE group of society folk are interested in the meeting of the Boston branch of the Waldensian Aid Society, to be held at the Copley-Plaza tomorrow afternoon at 3:30.

The meeting is in recognition of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the Emancipation Edict, by which civil liberties and the right to practice professions was restored to the persecuted Waldensians by King Carlo Albert, great-grandfather of the present King of Italy. Dr. Bruno Roselli, head of the Italian department of Vassar College, will speak on "The Spiritual Awakening and Character-Building in Modern Italy."

Of the prominent matrons lending their support to the meetings are Mesdames John F. Moore, W. Scott Fitz, Augustus Hemenway, Dudley L. Pickman, Robert Gould Shaw and Charles W. Eliot. Mrs. Frederic Cunningham, sister of Bishop Lawrence, is president of the society, of which Miss Rose L. Dexter, who's abroad just now, is the treasurer.

MRS. COOLIDGE, wife of the Vice-President, and Mrs. Frederick Gillett, wife of the Speaker of the House, were special guests at the annual breakfast of the Congressional Club, held on Monday noon at Rauschert's. Mrs. Gillett is the mother of Mrs Reggy Foster (Frances Hoar) of Boston, and of Miss Louisa Hoar.

Mrs. Harding sent elaborate decorations for the honor table with a note of good wishes. The Marine Band Orchestra gave a special program for the showing of Guy Bates Post in "Omar, the Tent Maker," lent especially for the occasion by Will H. Hays, former Postmaster-General.

Betty Alden

—Photo copyright by Bachrach.

MISS CONSTANCE CHILTON

Miss Constance Chilton of Brookline, who was elected to the Junior League this year, is a student at college, where her good fellowship made her president of the freshman class.

EAST BOSTON WANTS A NEW COURT HOUSE

A delegation headed by City Councillor William C. S. Healey of East Boston, which included the two associate Justices of the East Boston District Court, urged Mayor Curley to make many needed improvements in the present police station and court house, in that district.

This combination building was built ten years ago. Court cases have increased over 100 per cent in that time.

The delegation asked a new building to cost $500,000. The error was made by Architect Harrison Atwood.

Mayor Curley told them that he thought Dorchester had a priority claim. A new $350,000 court house will in all probability be built there.

DORCHESTER WANTS VICTORY BRIDGE OPEN

A delegation of Dorchester citizens conferred with Mayor Curley on the question of reopening Victory bridge, connecting Dorchester and Squantum, over the Neponset River, early in the Spring.

The Mayor sent a letter to the Metropolitan District Commission and one to Mayor Bates of Quincy, asking that they join in meeting the expense of the upkeep of the bridge if opened.

HEAVY GREEK LOSS IN THRACE

Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 14 (By International News Service).—Seventy Greeks are reported to have been killed and 1,000 wounded in fighting with bands of Turkish and Bulgarian revolutionaries in Western Thrace, according to word received here today. The Bulgarians and Turks are making common cause in their demand for an autonomous State in Western Thrace.

(Western Thrace was allotted to Greece by the Lausanne Peace Conference.)

Bequests to Charity

The will of Mary J. Fenton, of Salem, leaves $200 each to the Home for Destitute Catholic Children, in Boston, and House of the Angel Guardian, Jamaica Plain.

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1 Quart oysters drained.
Butter. Salt and pepper to taste.
Buttered cracker crumbs.
2 Cups milk, scalded.
2 Tablespoons cornstarch.

Prepare spaghetti according to directions on the Mueller label. Grease a baking dish, put in layer of spaghetti, then layer of oysters, dot with butter, season with salt and pepper; repeat layers until material is used, finishing with layer of spaghetti. Moisten cornstarch with oyster liquor, then stir into milk and bring to boiling point. Cook five minutes and add one tablespoon of butter. Pour this mixture over the layers in dish, sprinkle a layer of cracker crumbs over top and bake in quick oven ten minutes or until crumbs are browned. Serve hot.

MUELLER'S Elbow Macaroni Salad

1 Package Mueller's Elbow Macaroni.
1 Cup chopped celery.
1 Tablespoon chopped parsley.
French or Mayonnaise dressing.
Add chopped boiled ham if desirable.
Salt and pepper to taste, lettuce.

Prepare Elbow Macaroni according to directions on label. Place in a dish to cool. When cold mix with other ingredients and serve with French or Mayonnaise dressing on crisp lettuce leaves.

Paste these Recipes in a Book

VAINLY SEEKING COAL, OLD MAN LOSES LIFE

Springfield, Feb. 14.—Asahel H. Lyon is dead. Cause of death: Coal shortage. The facts concerned with his demise will make interesting statistics to all to the facts and figures already in possession of the State fuel administrator.

When the human body has functioned eighty years the blood needs artificial warming. The old retired contractor shivered the last three months of his life. He lived here with his daughter, Mrs Bertha L. Arnold at No. 101 Oak street. She tried frantically to get enough coal to heat the house, was willing to pay any price for coal. But the house was cold, and old Lyon moved to Waltegford, Ct., to live with his sister, Mrs. Etta Burnell.

There he shivered for a while. Mrs. Bunnell couldn't get coal. Old Lyon shivered and shivered, until a physician said that pneumonia was threatening. They took him to Westport, Ct., into a private sanitarium. There, it was thought, the old man would get the warmth his aged bones craved.

He died there yesterday. To the last moment he complained of the cold.

BOSTON BOY SCOUTS TO GREET BRITON

The International aspect of the Boy Scout movement is soon to be emphasized, when Boston Boy Scouts will welcome a lone scout who is traveling from his home in England to New Bedford. Donald North, Boston Scout executive, was notified by letter from England a few days ago that Terrance McCarthy, a Boy Scout patrol leader, was on his way to this country alone, and would appreciate it if the local scouts would assist him in getting on to New Bedford after his arrival in this port.

Mr. North is planning not only to help him on his way, but to give him a warm welcome to this country. The scout is coming on the SS. Auronia, of the Cunard Line, which left Liverpool on Feb. 10 and is due in Boston on Feb. 21, after a stop at Halifax.

MEDIUM BROWN HAIR looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.—Advt.

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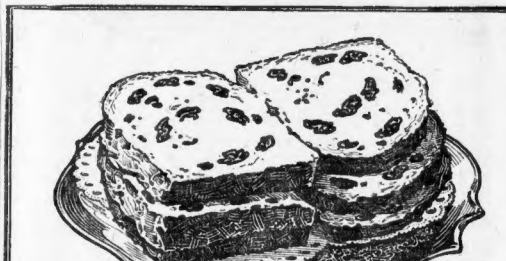

Why Bake at Home
when you can buy bread like it, ready baked?

COUNT the raisins—at least eight big, plump, tender fruit-meats to the slice.

Taste it—see how the raisin flavor permeates the bread.

No need to bake at home when we've arranged with bakers in almost every town and city to bake this full-fruited raisin bread.

Just 'phone and they'll deliver it—all ready to surprise the family tonight.

It comes from master bakers' modern ovens in your city. And it's made with Sun-Maid Raisins.

That's another reason for its superiority. A rare combination of nutritious cereal and fruit—both good and good *for* you, so you should serve it at least twice a week.

Use Sun-Maid Raisins also in puddings, cakes and cookies. You may be offered other brands that you know less well than Sun-Maids, but the kind you want is the kind you know is good. Insist, therefore on *Sun-Maid* brand. They cost no more than ordinary raisins.

Mail coupon for free book of tested Sun-Maid recipes.

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The Supreme Bread Raisin

Your retailer should sell you Sun-Maid Raisins for not more than the following prices:

Seeded (in 15 oz. blue pkge.)—20c
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Seeded, in tins (4 oz.)—15c

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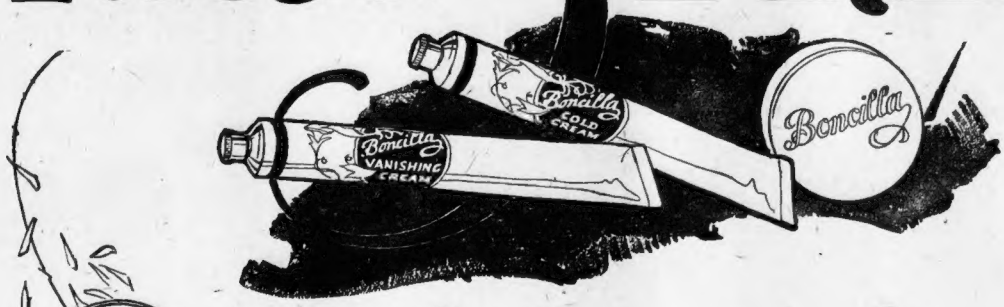

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KENTUCKY TOWN OF LESS THAN 5,000 GRIPPED BY DOPE TRAFFIC

WHOLESALE DRUG PEDDLING CHARGED TO PHYSICIANS

Somerset, Ky., Feb. 14—How the claws of the hideous dope traffic are gripping the backbone of the Nation—the country-side—is revealed in the return of the indictments by the Federal Grand Jury sitting in the Eastern District of Kentucky, in which leading citizens are charged with wholesale violation of the government narcotic laws.

Thousands of prescriptions for narcotics seized contain the names of members of prominent Kentucky families, in some instances nationally known.

EXCUSES ARE MANY.

The prescriptions call for morphine and cocaine in unusual quantities. Excuses for the doses entered on the prescriptions range from mule kicks to tuberculosis, including stomach ache, nervous dyspepsia and rheumatism.

The Grand Jury which heard testimony at Lexington, found conditions appalling in Somerset, a town of fewer than 5,000 inhabitants, and indicted two well known physicians and a druggist of that place.

The doctors are James A. Bolin and Glen E. Jasper, and the druggist is William Sigal.

Three physicians in Lexington, all members of powerful political machines, are hit in the true bills which **charge the wholesale prescribing of narcotics irrespective of government laws.**

They are Dr. E. J. Brashear, county physician; Dr. R. T. McWilliams, chief physician for the Kentucky Reformatory, and Dr. Elmer Northcutt, house physician at one of the large hotels. Since investigation was begun by the Federal authorities all three have resigned their posts.

NEAR LINCOLN SHRINE.

Somerset is the home of Governor Morrow. It is within a few hours' ride of the national shrine, the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln at Hodgensville.

Standing out above the mass of evidence presented to the Grand Jury in the Somerset situation is this fact:

In twenty-two months 110,004 grains of morphine were prescribed by Somerset physicians and provided by one druggist—an average of twenty-two grains for each of the 5,000 persons in the place.

It was found that morphine was being prescribed by several physicians in unusual quantities and regularly, for all forms of ailments, among rich and poor alike.

One witness swore that for six years she had been using morphine, prescribed by a physician, who said it would cure her rheumatism.

One young man bought dope from three different physicians about the same time and every prescription showed a different disease.

Four thousand prescriptions for dope sold in the twenty-two months were taken from the drug store by the officers.

WITHOUT PARALLEL.

Government officials assert that the amount of drugs consumed in this little countryside place is without parallel in the annals of narcotic investigations.

In the Cook County Hospital, Chicago, one of the largest in the world, 39,000 patients were treated in the past year with the use of 11,927 grains of morphine, compared with more than 110,000 grains used in the little town of Somerset.

In Philadelphia, it was said, four hospitals, with a total of 71,000 patients, used 3,600 grains in a year.

By the comparisons enough dope was used in Somerset, with its 5,000 persons, to care for 400,000 hospital patients.

A witness in Lexington testified that he had bought morphine and cocaine from Dr. McWilliams, former prison reformatory official, and at one time had traded a diamond ring worth $150 for $5 in cocaine.

FOR WEAKNESS
ELVITA PILLS

Elvita Pills Enrich the Blood, Strengthen the Nerves, Build Up Physical Power, Giving Vigor and Nerve Power to Nervous, Despondent People.

For rundown condition, general debility, nervous prostration, nervous weakness, nervous exhaustion, mental depression and unstrung nerves, caused by influence of from over-indulgence in alcohol, tobacco or excesses of any kind, Elvita Pills have always stood the test.

Elvita Bromo-Gentian Comp.

is a bitter tonic. It stimulates the appetite and aids digestion—25 years in private practice has proven it to be exceedingly valuable for nervous dyspepsia and nervous or irritable stomach. A teaspoonful or two taken before retiring helps to induce a restful sleep. A bottle.

Elvita Remedies are for sale at Armstrong Drug Stores, North Station, Parker House, Richardson Drug Co., Dewey Sq., Enderis Drug Store, Dudley Sq., and other reliable druggists.

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Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"

Rub on Good Old Musterole

That cold may turn into "Flu," Grippe or, even worse, Pneumonia, unless you take care of it at once.

Rub good old Musterole on the congested parts and see how quickly it brings relief.

Colds are merely congestion. Musterole, made from pure oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other simple ingredients, is a counter-irritant which stimulates circulation and helps break up the cold.

As effective as the messy old mustard plaster, it does the work without the blister.

Just rub it on with your fingertips. You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief. 35c and 65c, in jars and tubes.

Better than a mustard plaster

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WILL NOT BLISTER

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Cocoanut Oil Makes A Splendid Shampoo

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If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo (which is pure and entirely greaseless) is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this cannot possibly injure the hair.

Simply put two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulsified in a cup or glass with a little warm water, then moisten your hair with water and rub the Mulsified in. It will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is very cheap, and a few ounces will last everyone in the family for months. Be sure your druggist gives you Mulsified.

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RED PEPPER HEAT STOPS BACKACHE

Penetrating Warmth of Rowles Red Pepper Rub Is Quickest Relief Known

The heat of red peppers takes the "ouch" from a sore, lame back. It can not hurt you, and it certainly ends the torture at once.

When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub, and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers.

Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you will feel the tingling heat. In three minutes it warms the sore spot through and through. Pain and soreness are gone.

Ask any druggist for a jar of Rowles Red Pepper Rub. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on each package.

Troubles Ended

"DICK" STACK

"PICTURE BRIDE" WINS $4,100

Salem, Feb. 14—The jury, before whom the breach of promise suit of Helena Apostoleley against John Tarzakis, both of Beverly, has been on trial for the past week, returned a verdict this forenoon for plaintiff of $4,100.

The suit was known as a "picture bride" case, because an uncle of the girl arranged the match between Tarzakis at Beverly and Helena, who was in Constantinople, through an exchange of photographs.

AMUNDSEN DELAYS FLIGHT OVER POLE

Copenhagen, Feb. 14.—Captain Roald Amundsen, Arctic explorer, who set out last June to drift through the Polar seas, has postponed his proposed airplane flight over the North Pole from May until the end of June, according to word from Christiania today. The last previous word from Captain Amundsen was in December, when he traveled from Wainwright to Nome, Alaska, by dog sledge.

No Corns

Just say

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to your druggist

The simplest way to end a corn is Blue-jay. A touch stops the pain instantly. Then the corn loosens and comes out. Made in a colorless clear liquid (one drop does it!) and in thin plasters. The action is the same.

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"For two years I had suffered from disorders of the kidneys and bladder. Distressing pain in the back and hips, depression and extreme nervousness. Also a frequent desire to urinate, many nights every hour or so. I would have to arise, as the pressure in bladder region was unbearable. My ankles swelled and my skin became dry and harsh. After using Balmwort Tablets I noticed relief and continued taking, until now I feel wholly relieved of pain and suffering. I am glad to recommend Balmwort Tablets as a most reliable medicine."

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Late Trains

From	Due.	Late h-m.
New York (mail)	5:30	1:30
New York	6:48	:27
New York (first section)	7:00	:10
New York (2nd section)	7:00	1:20
New York (Owl)	7:45	1:00
Washington (Fed ex)	7:55	1:10
Plymouth	8:15	:15
Newport	8:00	:50
Providence	8:25	:15
Fall River (Boat train)	8:30	:10
Providence	8:44	:05
Hyannis (Cape)	8:53	1:05
Plymouth	9:00	:15
Providence	9:12	:10
North Easton	9:28	:05
Cohasset	9:17	:30
Willimantic	9:45	:10
New Bedford	9:50	:10

SHOPPING MADE EASY WITH HANDY BAGS

Coupon on Page 7.

"For thirty-five years I've lugged 'em in my arms, but now——"

"Dick" Stack of No. 1290 Blue Hill avenue, Mattapan, dumped a whole load of bundles into his Handy Bag, grinned, and stamped out of the Boston American office.

"They're just the cat's whiskers," said Dick, "and so cheap, too. Say, they're worth ten times the thirty-three cents. Wish I'd had one when I was first married."

And there are thousands of persons just like "Dick" who have been waiting for just such an opportunity as the Boston American is offering now.

So, folks, step right in line. Clip three consecutive day's coupons from the Boston American and get yours before it is too LATE. The supply is LIMITED.

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The Tonic and Laxative Effect of Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets will keep the system in a healthy condition and thus ward off all attacks of Colds, Grip or Influenza. 30c.—Adv.

RESUME DRIVE ON DELINQUENT GUARDSMEN

The State wide movement to jail delinquent National Guardsmen has been renewed.

Private Samuel Barr of Company D, 101st Engineers, 8th Lynn, has been courtmartialed and today started a five day sentence in Salem Jail. He was convicted of missing drills.

"Carolina in the Morning"

You'll never hear this captivating fox-trot played with finer tempo, rhythm and melody than on the Columbia Record made by Eddie Elkins' Orchestra.

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SHOT FROM CAR KILLS PASSING AUTOIST

Lodi, N. J., Feb. 14 (By International News Service)—Apparently the victim of a bootlegger gunman, Louis Berkowitz of Paterson was ... early today. He was riding in an automobile when a shot was fired from another machine. The slayer escaped.

Amusements

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"THE FOOL" is a gripping play, an extraordinary play, an epoch-making play—the most popular play of the season. A miracle play in more than one sense. Good, straight, dramatic slice of real life, and a powerful stimulating interest-gripping play. A play stir people to new helpfulness. Playgoers will be thrilled.
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"THE FOOL" is a triumph. A success from the start. Wholesome and uplifting thought combined with popular entertainment. Combines religion with melodrama without incongruity. The New York success will be duplicated here.
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"THIS FOOL" is really a great play. Not only a theatrical entertainment, but a message. Held the audience breathless. A first class production.
KATHERINE LYONS—.....

"THE FOOL" is a strong play. A play that undoubtedly appeals to philanthropist, reformer, entrymman, capitalist, laboring man, journalist and the lover of thrilling drama.
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"THE FOOL" thrills. A remarkable play. Musical for a dozen sermons, and truths hammered home far more impressively than they could be from the pulpit. The multitudes will not only delight in the food for thought it furnishes, but they will enjoy the entertainment it provides. For sincerity of a dishworthy and the showmanship of a Belasco, five conferences here is better than in New York.
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Ivers & Pond Upright	$75	Hallet & Davis	$150
Doll & Sons Upright	$250	Autopiano Player	$215
Knabe Upright	$80	Small Upright	$25
H. F. Miller Upright	$120	Emerson Ang's Player	$250
Emerson Upright	$80	Kranich & Bach	$130
88-Note Int. Player	$295	Chickering Upright	$127
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TODAY BEAUTIFUL AND DAMNED" with MARIE PREVOST and similar cast. JOHN GILBERT and ESTELLE TAYLOR in "CALIFORNIA ROMANCE." 7 Vaudeville Acts. NEXT WEEK—"SECRETS OF PARIS." Now Ready for Booking.

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Membership Qualifications Revealed in Successful Suit Against Shoe Magnate

If you are a refined man—

If your family includes not more than seven persons—

If you are in good health, not too fat—

If YOU DO NOT "IMBIBE TOO FREELY"—

If you have suitable business and social references and the right rating in Dunn's list—

Then you MAY be eligible for the Bald Peak Country Club. This is the million-dollar golf club of limited membership which Thomas G. Plant, the millionaire boot and shoe manufacturer, has been promoting with location in the beautiful lake region of New Hampshire.

VERDICT FOR HOLLANDER.

The rigid requirements set up by Mr. Plant have just been emphasized in the successful suit brought against him in the federal court at Concord, N. H. by E. L. Hollander.

Mr. Hollander, son of L. P. Hollander, Boston merchant, was awarded damages of $4,250 against Mr. Plant for breach of contract.

The plaintiff alleged that he had a contract with Mr. Plant to obtain members for the Bald Peak organization. The contract was to run from March 14, 1922, to November 1, 1922, with salary of $1,000 a month and expenses for Mr. Hollander.

Mr. Hollander, who had been selling high-priced automobiles and had acquaintance among wealthy men, set up an office in New York City and worked on a still hunt for men who had the requisite refinement and other qualifications—including $6,000 for entry fee.

CONTRACT BROKEN.

But members apparently did not come fast enough. Anyway, the contract was broken and Mr. Hollander sued for balance of salary and office rental. The $4,250 verdict for him was the court's answer.

"Families of eight or more are not desirable.

"Do not propose men in poor health, very stout men, old men who are not strong and active, those who are inclined to imbibe too freely, or the noisy, talkative kind.

"Good character, pleasant, refined manners and agreeable appearance are the qualifications necessary to become a member of the Bald Peak Country Club.

TABS ON FAMILIES.

"State in detail your knowledge and belief as regards his qualifications for membership and those of his family.

"The qualifications of members of the family are to be taken into consideration as much as that of the candidate himself.

"Describe the man as definitely as possible, irrespective of his financial or social standing."

The reverse side of the card is ruled off to be filled out by the candidate or agent with information concerning the candidate on the following points:

Sex and approximate ages of members of family—

Members of what club—

References, business and social—

Dun's rating.

Mr. Plant set aside a large tract of his 7,000 acre estate in Moultonboro, N. H., in the Ossipee lake region. On the golf course Francis Ouimet, Jesse (Siege Gun) Guilford, J. H. Taylor and Alexzander Hurd played last Summer before an exclusive gallery.

Camden Man's Amazing Message to Rheumatics

After Suffering Intense Agony for Many Years—He Wants to Tell Others.

Dr. Brigdell: I simply had to write and tell you what your wonderful Camphorole has done for me. For many years I suffered the tortures of rheumatism so only those who have it know. At the same time I had a terrible itch and, covered with sores, the sharp pains were so severe, I could not sleep. Had to get up and rub and scratch. It almost drove me crazy. I tried doctor after doctor and all kinds of medicine I was told to take, which only left me worse. I could not bend my knees. I am a steam fitter by trade and had to give up my work. Seeing your advertisement in a paper, I thought I would take another chance and told my daughter to get me a package of Camphorole. You can imagine my surprise after using Camphorole, I started to get better right away. After using two jars of Camphorole I am well and happy and have gone back to work. I shall never forget the day I took a chance on Camphorole. After all the years I suffered, it feels good to be well again. Robert W. Teesdale, 1917 High St., Camden, N. J.

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Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound, mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood's days, just take one at the time.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

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Says Ely's Cream Balm Opens Air Passages Right Up

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, blowing, headache dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.

NEURALGIA

or headache—rub forehead, temples and back of neck with Vicks. Melt a little in a spoon and inhale the vapors.

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A-8851 Gives Quick Relief

A constitutional treatment for rheumatism and gout. Dissolves calcareous deposits and relieves swollen joints. At your druggists' or sent by mail for $1.00. Kilmer & Amond, 3rd Ave., & 15th St., New York.

CALLS FOR SHIP SUBSIDY

LET THE TRANSPORTATION ACT OF 1920 ALONE—LET US WORK IT OUT. DON'T START PATCHING IT
I LIKE TO SEE THE DAY COME IN THE LIFE OF AMERICA WHEN WE WILL BE AS INDEPENDENT ON SEA AS WE ARE ON LAND IN THE MATTER OF TRANSPORTATION
AND SMILE, SMILE, SMILE
IDEALS AND CONDITIONS FOR THEIR DEVELOPMENT ARE BETTER THAN BEFORE
PICK UP YOUR TROUBLES
W. S. STOREY, PRES. SANTA FE RAILROAD SYSTEM
MAYOR CURLEY
DR. WILLARD SCOTT
P. S. SNYDER AND J. J. PHELAN DANCE A DUET

TRAFFIC CLUB AT COPLEY PLAZA

A plea that members of the Traffic Club of New England exert their influence for the passage of the ship subsidy bill was made by Mayor Curley in an address at the annual dinner of the club in the Copley-Plaza Hotel. Later, on motion of Captain Eugene O'Donnell, a motion was passed that the club "heartily support the President in his appeal for the enactment of the bill." Nearly eighty members attended the function. Charles B. Baldwin presided. W. S. Storey, president of the Santa Fe Railroad, and Rev. Dr. Willard Scott of Brookline, were, with the Mayor, the invited guests.

DID PHELAN BREAK RULE?

Continued from First Page.

porter and photographer inspected the Phelan family coal supply in the cellar of the Brighton mansion, No. 11 Chiswick road. The reporter found four types of coal in the home bins of the State fuel administrator. He estimated that the supply probably totalled 4½ tons. He was too conservative, as developments showed.

PHELAN'S STATEMENT.

Mr. Phelan issued a statement to the newspapers next day. He confessed that his assorted supply totalled 7¼ tons.

"Today, I estimate," wrote Mr. Phelan, "that I have in my bins about five tons of buckwheat coal —a substitute—about a ton to a ton and a half of furnace coal and about a ton to a ton and a half of range coal, and perhaps a cord of wood.

"But the most significant admission made by Mr. Phelan in his statement was this paragraph:

"ON JANUARY 24, 1923, BEING ENTIRELY OUT OF RANGE COAL, I BOUGHT THREE TONS AT $16 PER TON."

This is one of the most pertinent facts to be weighed by contestants for the hot water bottle who send in verdicts as to whether or not, in their opinion, State Fuel Administrator Phelan transgressed his own commandment.

FIGURES DIFFER.

When Mr. Phelan said he had only seven and one-half tons of coal in his cellar he was too modest. He underestimated his family treasure by exactly one ton and a half. He actually had nine tons of coal in his cellar.

Mr. Phelan learned this from experts. He called on Everett Mores, fuel administrator for the city of Boston, to make an official survey of the Phelan coal bins on February 6. Mr. Mores reported:

"I sent two professional coal inspectors to the house and they report your supply of fuel at 4:30 p. m. yesterday (Thursday, February 8,) as follows:

"FOUR TONS furnace and egg coal.

"THREE TONS buckwheat coal.

"TWO TONS nut coal.

"A considerable quantity of wood."

P. S.—Contestants should note that the city fuel experts differed from Mr. Phelan's estimate, not only as to the total, but as to the amount of grades of coal. For example, Mr. Phelan reported that he had five tons of buckwheat when the city appraisers found he had only three tons of buckwheat; that he said he had one ton and a half of furnace coal when the appraisers found four tons of furnace coal, and that the appraisers found two tons of nut coal which he estimated at one and a half tons.

Telegraph Briefs

Lyndon, Vt.—While chopping down a tree near his home, Harley Bishop was badly injured in the right eye when he was struck in the face by several branches of the tree.

Newport.—Theodore Stevens sustained a painful injury to one hand when he slipped and fell against a buzz planer in a woodworking shop. He lost four fingers.

Glover.—While skiing down a steep bank near the river's edge, Ray Drew was unable to stop and he sped out on the ice which broke under his weight. Drew was hurled into the water where he found the ice a great impediment in saving himself. Rescuers were at hand. He was unconscious when brought ashore.

Stowe.—While loading logs on a sleigh, George S. Gale was severely injured when the binder chain broke and he was thrown between the logs and a nearby tractor. The logs rolled down upon him and he sustained a broken shoulder.

Bennington.—While putting a heavy log of wood into his furnace, H. J. Cole failed to make the open door and the log hit the furnace so violently that his fingers were jammed by the impact. It is expected that he will lose at least two fingers of his right hand.

St. Johnsbury.—Harvey Deoss was severely burned by hot metal while at work in a foundry. He was carrying a ladle of the metal when a hole burned through the bottom of the receptacle. The fluid burned a hole through the leg of his trousers and ran down to the top of his foot and into his shoe. One leg and foot were badly burned.

Rutland.—While operating a wood sawing machine, Richard H. Mead was badly injured when the revolving saw burst, throwing pieces of the metal so violently that he was rendered unconscious. He sustained a bad scalp wound, a fracture of the right arm, a deep cut on one arm and bruises.

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Your Broken

Watch-Glass can be replaced with an Unbreakable Crystal. If your watch-maker fails to repair your watch see us. Our experienced workmen are competent to put in thorough order Ladies' and Gents' Watches. Also to repair and adjust Gentlemen's high-grade watches to run to seconds and position. Out-of-town customers send watches by registered mail. Safe, reliable mail. When you want to buy a reasonable watch see our Wilson's Big Jewelry Store, Scollay Square.

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WE HAVE MOVED

Back to the old store on Tremont Row, where Father and Mother bought the Wedding Ring, bought their Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Silverware, Clocks, and had their Eyes Examined and Glasses Fitted in the days gone by.

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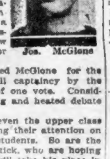
NATICK ROOTS FOR McGLONE



Jos. McGlone

All of Harvard, and most of Natick, is watching the freshman coach election this year with an interest not equalled since Harvard last walloped Yale on the gridiron.

Joseph McGlone of Natick, football, baseball and track star, as well as a Yankee Division hero during the war, is being opposed by Naismith fashion stall Howe of a fashionable district in New York City, for class president.

Howe defeated McGlone for the yearling football captaincy by the scant margin of one vote. Considerable wrangling and heated debate followed.

As a result even the upper class men are focusing their attention on the first year students. So are the residents of Natick, who are hoping that McGlone will take his place in Harvard and Natick traditions beside Mahan, Casey, Murray and others.

PORTLAND REPORTS RECORD SNOW FALL

Portland, Feb. 14.—Ninety-eight inches of snow have fallen here this Winter. Only five Winters in forty years have exceeded this fall of snow. The record of 121 inches was set in the Winter of 1886-87.

Press Club Frolic

The Boston Press Club will hold a frolic at the Colonial Theatre on Thursday afternoon, March 1. A special program consisting of acts by leading theatrical performers in Boston on that date is being arranged by Thomas Lothian, general manager of the Klaw and Erlanger interests in this city.

Home-made, but Has No Equal for Coughs

Makes a family supply of really dependable cough medicine. Easily prepared, and saves about $5.

If you have a severe cough or chest cold, soreness, throat tickle, hoarseness or difficult breathing, or if your child wakes up at night with croup and you want quick help, try this reliable old home-made cough remedy. Any druggist can supply you with 2½ ounces of Pinex. Pour this into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Or use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup, if desired. This recipe makes a pint of really remarkable cough remedy. It tastes good, and in spite of its low cost, can be depended upon to give quick and lasting relief.

You can feel this take hold of a cough instantly. It loosens and raises the phlegm, stops throat tickle, and soothes and heals the irritated membranes of the throat and bronchial tubes with such ease and promptness that it is really astonishing.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, and is probably the best known means of overcoming severe coughs, throat and chest colds.

There are many worthless imitations of this mixture. To avoid disappointment, ask for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

PINEX for Coughs

BURNS AGENCY ACCUSED OF 'BOMB' LETTER

By Universal Service

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Albert Ballin, alias Balanow, admitted spy and double-crosser, testifying in a deposition to be used in the defence of twenty-three alleged "Reds," made the startling statement that the letter sent to the New York postmaster in October, 1920, threatening to kill him and blow up the Woolworth Building, was written on instructions from Allen O. Meyers, a Burns' Detective Agency departmental manager.

Meyers, in this way expected to obtain large sums from bankers for protection against mythical plotters, the witness declares.

Ballin admitted he wrote the letter in the New York office of the Thiel Detective Agency and mailed it from Hudson terminal. The letter was signed "Knights of the Red Cross, Anarchist Fighters."

Balanow claims he was in the employ of the Burns and Thiel Agencies to incite violence and sabotage so that radical elements would be blamed.

Three persons at the hearing were injured in the explosion of a photographer's flashlight powder.

New York, Feb. 14.—That Albert Balanow had been planted by radicals in the ranks of Burns' detective agents was the counter charge made by W. Sherman Burns of the Burns Detective Agency. Burns named Charles Recht, Soviet representative in the United States, as the man who planted Balanow, with his agency.

QUINCY BAGGAGEMAN KILLED BY TRAIN

North Abington, Feb. 14.—Lester K. Holloway of No. 88 Bebee road, Quincy, a train baggagemaster, was killed in a mysterious accident by the 6:13 train from Boston to Whitman. His body was found wedged in a rear nook of the rear car of the train. He was a war veteran. He leaves a wife.

STREET CAR FIGHT TERRORIZES WOMEN

Windows of a Melrose street car were smashed and a woman fainted when Clement McRae of Philadelphia, visiting in Wakefield, fought four men. Flats few fast until McRae pulled the emergency brake cord and escaped from the car. He sustained a black eye.

HERO IDENTIFIED AS E. BOSTON BOY

"Jack" Murphy, Shipping Board hero, has been identified by Harry J. Hayes of No. 303 Chelsea street, East Boston, as his son. Harry Hayes, Jr., Hayes was lost overboard from the steamship West Ineskip, Rotterdam to Philadelphia, in an attempt to rescue another seaman.

POPE SAYS, "Fair tresses man's imperial race ensnare, and beauty draws us with a single hair." My advice to you girls is - especially if you are really interested - not to trust a single hair but use all you have and make it just as attractive as possible.

yours for beautiful hair,

Herpicide Mary

Newbro's Herpicide

actually and quickly adds to the beauty of your hair. Get a bottle today and prove it.

EASILY TRACED

Thousands who are none too strong *trace the present weakened state to influenza or some like-debilitating illness.* Such could not do better than try the strength-restoring and body-building virtues of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

This efficient tonic is *nourishment* in a form that helps build up a healthy resistance. *If you are not in your accustomed strength—rich, nourishing* SCOTT'S EMULSION *will help you. Try it!*

The exclusive grade of cod-liver oil used in Scott's Emulsion is the famous "N. & B. Process," made in Norway and refined in our own American Laboratories. It is a guarantee of purity and palatability unsurpassed.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 20-23

Colds fill hospitals—

Here's Your Protection

PRICE 25 & 50 CENTS CASCARA QUININE CURES A COLD IN ONE DAY LA GRIPPE IN 3 DAYS

Stop that Cold in 24 hours LaGrippe in 3 days

COLDS, la grippe, influenza and pneumonia—four outstanding reasons why America's hospitals are overcrowded and why the average office worker dies in the prime of life.

Prevent colds and constipation and automatically you cut America's death rate materially.

Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine is the quickest acting, most dependable remedy for the prevention and cure of Colds, headaches and la grippe. Hill's tablets disintegrate and begin work within 10 seconds. They afford almost immediate relief and will break colds in 24 hours and la grippe in three days.

During variable weather and when subjected to exposure, you cannot afford to be without Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine. Wherever there's a druggist, you'll find Hill's. Demand red box bearing Mr. Hill's portrait and signature. Keep it handy—at home and office—and use regularly at the first indication of a cold or headache.

Mr. Hill Says:

"Disregard colds, allow nasal, throat and lung infection to go unchecked and permit constipation to poison your system, and you invite disaster.

"Chronic headaches and colds lower vitality, weaken resistance to disease germs, undermine one's physical constitution, retard mental activity and lead to serious consequences.

"So-called 'winter complaints' fill our hospitals, cut our efficiency and reduce the physical stamina of the race.

"To keep fit mentally and physically, exercise intelligently, get plenty of fresh air, eat sensible foods and when unduly exposed to colds and la grippe take Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine Tablets regularly."

At All Druggists—30 Cents

W. H. HILL COMPANY, DETROIT

Ask for Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine

POLICE SHOOT UP MIRRORS AS THIEVES

Macon, Ga., Feb. 14.—Police entering the Dannenberg department store on Sunday night searching for burglars fired at their own reflections in the store's big mirrors, officials of the company declared today. Bullets shattered several hundred dollars' worth of mirrors in addition to damaging much wearing apparel.

SELF-DEFENCE PLEA IN BOOTLEG KILLING

Patrolman Daniel M. O'Connell of South Boston, says he shot Luigi Sckagliazi, Charlestown bootlegger, in self-defence. O'Connell held the amateur boxing title in New England for the 145-pound class three years ago. He fought under the name of "Danny O'Connor." He declares that he could have handled the man with his fists except that he had been weakened by two heavy blows with an iron poker, struck by Sckagliazi.

MOTHER WINS FIGHT WITH MARRIED COUPLE FOR LOVE CHILD

HUSBAND IS FATHER OF BABY

Made Paternity "Pact" With Girl Chum of Wife; Later Forgave Him

New York, Feb. 14.—Mother Love is supreme!

That, in effect, is the view of Justice Martin, who had before him the remarkable case of a mother of a baby born out of wedlock fighting heroically against the demands of the father for possession of the child.

Justice Martin today gave to Maria Teresa Baco custody of the daughter, Laura Louise, now three and one-half—born to her and Dr. Karl Heidemann, a professor of languages at Columbia University.

The decision upsets the contention waged through a number of court battles, by Professor and Mrs. Heidemann, that Miss Baco was unfit to rear the youngster and that they should have the keeping of the baby. In this contention ex-Justice John W. Goff, as referee, had concurred. But Justice Whitaker recently declined to approve the referee's recommendation and permitted Miss Baco to apply for a writ of habeas corpus. The decision restoring the child to her mother was the outcome of the writ.

WIFE FORGAVE HIM.

Born in Porto Rico, Miss Baco was throughout her life there the chum of the woman who eventually became Mrs. Heidemann. Miss Baco married unhappily in Porto Rico. A child born in the union died within a year.

She came several years ago to New York and studied typewriting at the Heidemann home. During one of the lessons Dr. Heidemann confided he would like to be a father. Miss Baco answered she yearned for motherhood.

After the birth of the girl Miss Baco told Mrs. Heidemann that the professor was the father. Mrs. Heidemann forgave him. The Heidemanns took possession of the child and refused to give her up to the baby's mother.

When Miss Baco first sought a writ of habeas corpus Dr. Heidemann and his wife declared Miss Baco was suffering from a malady that made it unwise for her to be with the baby. Referee Goff recommended that the Heidemanns be given the youngster.

KIDNAPING FOILED.

But Miss Baco persisted in her efforts in the courts after several spectacular but ineffectual attempts to seize the baby from the Heidemanns. Recently she submitted a document in which she said to the court:

"I am fighting to get possession of something that belongs to me. My own flesh and blood. No words can express my anguish and my great disgrace.

"Sometimes I can't understand myself how I am still alive how I can endure the terrible agony in which I am sunk."

She said she is no longer suffering from the malady referred to by the Heidemanns.

MALDEN GIRL WILL WED NEXT TUESDAY

Miss Edith Kaufman of No. 66 Harvard street, Malden, will become the bride of Oscar Weiner of No. 16 Hudson terrace next Tuesday evening at Pythian Hall in that city. Miss Kaufman is a talented pianist. She formerly lived in Clinton, where she was graduated from the local high school. Mr. Weiner is engaged in the electrical business. He is a member of Lebanon Lodge, Y. M. H. A.

Edith Kaufman.

HOTEL DE LUXE FOR DOGS IN LOS ANGELES

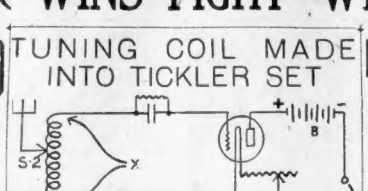
Los Angeles, Feb. 14—A hotel for dogs is to be erected in Los Angeles by William Go.tlieb at a cost of $50,000, he announced. It will cater to the tourist trade in Gotlieb, and its patrons may have rooms with bath or without, as their owners decide. If rooms with bath are chosen, the occupants will be bathed massaged and brushed by uniformed attendants every day of their stay.

"BOSTON'S OWN" TO PARADE MARCH 17

The thirteenth Infantry with band, "Boston's Own Regiment" will take part in the Evacuation Day parade, March 17, in South Boston.

Arrangements for the regulars of the army to take part in this event are being looked after by Colonel Walter C. Sweeney of the staff of Major-General A. W. Brewster, commanding the First Corps Area.

TUNING COIL MADE INTO TICKLER SET



MEDFORD RADIO WRINKLE

A regenerative receiver using a two-slide tuning coil adapted from a crystal set. The tuning coil, L, should tune to 950 meters maximum. A single tap is taken off at 65 per cent. of the turns, shown as X in the diagram. The remainder of the coil is the tickler, a slide S1 controlling the regeneration, and S2 the tuning of primary and secondary.

Today's Radio Program

WGI, MEDFORD.

10—Late news flashes. Early sport vs. Boston American.
15—Code practice, Lesson No. 8.
30—Boston police reports. AMRAD Full to Board.
45—Evening Program:
Irish Story Hour Miss Eunice L. Randall reader.
Selections by the Jonquil Mandolin Club; Mrs. E. A. Savage, director. "Poeter Girl," Martin; b March "Sue Trot," Davis.
Ukulele," Mr. Burton A. Welcome, Jr. Selection by the Jonquil Mandolin Club; Cathedral Chimes," Arnold and Brown; Connecticut March," Nassau.
Close Buoy."
Continuation of concert by the Jonquil Mandolin Club: a "A Stroll Through Cairo," Rose; "Columbus March," Fulton; "Operatic Overture," Lavalle; "Knees of Ca a war song medley arr. H. F. Odell.

WNAC, BOSTON.

10-11:00—Concert program. Adult choir, Joseph's Roman Catholic Church of Roxbury, mixed voices. Robert H. Bryden, director.
00—"Gloria" 12th Mass.....Mozart
30—"Crucifixus".....Faure
Lyrie," Mass in C.....Gounod
Harry With Me".....Nicolai
"Credo" Mass in C.....Hardelli
for solo—"Ti Prego O Madre"...Tanopka
Ave Maria".....Rosewig
as with choir—"Sanctus Benedictus."
Kerman
00—"O Jesus Mio".....Cimetti
Agnus Dei.....Kerman
30—"Thy God, We Praise Thy Name."

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD.

(422 METERS)

30—Bedtime story.
45—"Let's Play." by Dr. Mary Dr. Knuf, physician, Division of Hygiene, State Department of Public Health.
8:00—"First Salute to the American Flag, 1776," by Miss Alice Reid of the High School of Commerce. Concert by Arthur S. Clark, tenor; Mrs. Fockinn, pianist and accompanist.

WEAF, NEW YORK.

(400 METERS)

7:30—Irving Seidman's Famous Club Dance Orchestra, well known throughout New York and Long Island.
8:30—American Institute of Electrical Engineers, eleventh mid-winter convention. Speeches by prominent engineers, some of them coming from the A. I. E. E. building in New York, and one transmitted by special long distance wire from Chicago.

KDKA, EAST PITTSBURGH.

6:15—Dinner concert by the KDKA Little Symphony Orchestra.
7:15—News and features.
7:50—"With the Dreamtime Lady."
8:00—Special Valentine Day Musical Concert.
8:35—Concert by the KDKA Little Symphony Orchestra. Soloists, Mabel Jefferson, mezzo-soprano, and Alan Davis, baritone.

WJZ, NEWARK.

6:00—Musical program.
7:00—Animal Bedtime Stories.
8:00—Organ recital.
9:30—Distinguished artists concerts, Leo Ornstein, pianist, and Heinz Jeffrey, violinist.

KYW, CHICAGO.

(400 METERS)

7:50—Bedtime story.
9:00 to 10:00—Musical program by Mrs. R. T. Navigato, soprano; Eva Ray, accompanist; James T. Westbrook, tenor; Sallie Meeker, accompanist; Jessie Hopper Landis, reader; Isham Jones and his orchestra at College Inn, Chicago.
10:30—News and sports. Special features.

RADIO WRINKLES OFFERED FROM THREE CITIES

A clever method of adapting the two-slide tuning coil of a crystal set into the coupler and tickler of a regenerative set is offered in the free tube contest by Frank Freeman of Orchard street, Medford.

This method requires a good sized tuning coil to begin with. If you have been using one on a crystal set, and found that the secondary was tuned when 65 per cent. of the coil was being used, the coil is large enough to be converted in this way.

If the coil was a home-made one, it should be simple enough to enlarge it.

Other wrinkles acknowledged:

James Hanley (I BEW) of Chaplin street, Pawtucket, reports that he greatly increased his signal strength by cupping out the centre of the diaphragm of one of his phones so that its centre almost touched the magnets.

"Ordinarily I can hear KDKA twenty-five feet from the phones," he says, "but after fixing the diaphragm I could hear them almost all the way downstairs. By tightening or loosening the receiver cap I was able to vary the loudness at will."

G. C. Ruppel of Wilbraham avenue, Springfield, reclaims his worn-out dry cells by piercing a number of 3-16-inch holes in the cell and placing the whole thing in a jar of water into which an ounce of salammoniac has been dissolved. The cell should be allowed to stand in the solution a few hours.

NORTH CHINA ARMY FIGHT IRREGULARS

Hankow, China, Feb. 14 (by the Associated Press).—Hostilities are reported on the border on Szechwan Province above Patung between Szechwanese and troops of Gen. Wu Pei Fu, the North China leader. Martial law has been declared at Ichang on the Yangtse River in this (Hupeh) province.

Wrinkles Get Better and Better; Let's Have More

Last week's radio wrinkles were the best yet.

So there will be another free WD-11 vacuum tube given away for the best wrinkle this week.

Last week's topnotchers and some of this will be shown in the radio column during the week.

Address your wrinkles to Radio Editor, Boston American, No. 80 Summer street, Boston 8, Mass.

SEAMAN'S GRAVE BARE OF GEMS

New York, Feb. 14.—None of the Russian crown jewels was found in the coffin of seaman James Jones when the body, buried in the National Cemetery at Cypress Hills, was disinterred today by the government.

A full company of soldiers had been drawn up in front of the cemetery gate and announcement made that no one would be permitted to witness the disinterment except the military and agents of the Treasury Department.

Sensational rumors regarding the jewels have been current ever since the death of Czar Nicholas, but the first concrete evidence that the United States government was seeking the gems in America came last month, when William B. Williams, special agent of the Treasury Department, admitted he was searching for $4,000,000 worth in the Brooklyn cemetery.

The story under investigation by government agents was that the jewels had been smuggled into this country in 1920 in the coffin of the sailor, who died on an army transport, while the vessel was on its way from Vladivostok to the United States.

Loses Battle With Death

Dennis F. Mahoney, former South End politician, has lost his fight to regain his health. Word of his death comes from Madison, N. H., where he went several months ago. In an effort to defeat the edict of physicians he had but a few days to live.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS LOYAL TO FASCISTI

Rome, Feb. 14. — The Supreme Council of Scottish Rite Free Masons in Italy today issued a communique declaring that the decision of the Grand Fascista Council last night asking its Masonic members to choose between Fasciam and Freemasonry does not refer to the Scottish Rite body, but to the dissident Free Masons, of whom there are large numbers in Italy.

The communique adds that the dissident Free Masons took an attitude opposing the program and methods of the Fascisti, while the Scottish Rite of Italy fervently supported the Fascisti march on Rome, and has repeatedly expressed adherence to the Mussolini government, unconditionally approving its actions and acknowledging the Fascista hierarchy.

The statement recalls the oath of loyalty to the Fascista Government taken by the Scottish Rite Free Masons of Italy who, it says, consider Fascismo as a legitimate expression of the will of the nation to which, therefore, all must submit without exception.

The Scottish Rite of Italy acknowledges the Grand Fascista Council's decision as logical and necessary for the defence of the nation, threatened by plots which have been denounced by the Masonic body itself, and concludes by ordering all its members strictly to obey the Fascista Hierarchy.

Eat 60 Carloads of Onions a Day in America!

Chicago, Feb. 14. — Ability of the United States to consume onions has caused growers in the Nile Valley of Egypt to look toward this country as the outlet for their Spring crop and has induced Texas producers to increase their plantings for the season.

During January Americans absorbed onions at the rate of sixty cars a day.

Although this season's crop, 24,000 carloads, was 5,000 cars heavier than the previous one, two-thirds of the production had been shipped by February 1.

10 FAMILIES FLEE BIDDEFORD FIRE

Biddeford, Me., Feb. 14.—Ten families were driven into the street during a raging northeast snowstorm by fire today that destroyed the Thurmulus Bros.' block, Alfred and Pool streets.

Tenants of the block who discovered the fire became lost in the smoke-filled corridors but were rescued by the police.

So threatening was the fire that help of the Saco fire department was asked. Snow-filled streets delayed the arrival of fire apparatus.

Police say the fire started from an overheated heating plant in the basement. The loss is estimated at $60,000.

2 WORCESTER BOYS DIE IN BOX CAR

Worcester, Feb. 14.—Two Worcester boys, John M. Savage, sixteen years of, and his chum, Carl Carlson eighteen, were found dead in a refrigerator car in Avery, Idaho, according to word received by the local police.

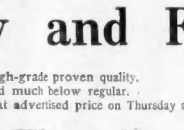
Investigation disclosed that the had been asphyxiated by fumes from charcoal used in the car to keep the contents from freezing.

The boys were without funds as it is believed they were stealing ride East. Worcester police were asked to locate their parents but have as yet been unable to do so.

MOORS REORGANIZE FOR NEW BATTLE

Melilla, Morocco, Feb. 14.—Abdel Krim, the Moorish rebel leader, reported reorganizing his fighting force and to have sent demands to various powerful tribes in Spanish Morocco to furnish contingents for his reinforcement. The Spanish commanders in the advanced stations have taken strict precautions against attacks.

BUSINESS NOTICE



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Women's Camel's Hair Top Coats, 45.00

For immediate use. A new raglan model; 48 inches long; silk lined throughout; shown in natural and reindeer. (Second Floor, Main Store)

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Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 1.15 Doz.

Finished with ¼-inch hems. (Street Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Misses' Tweed Knickers, 3.75

For hiking, skating and general outdoor wear; in tan and grey mixtures; adjustable belt. Sizes 14, 16 and 18. (Misses' Skirt Section, Third Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Gold Crystal Clocks, 17.50

Eight-day, hour and half hour strike. Dull finish. (Street Floor, Annex)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Men's Silk Ties, 45c

Four-in-hand neckties, fresh and new, neat stripes and figures. (Street Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Fancy Waste Paper Baskets, 1.50

In assorted shapes and colorings. (Third Floor, Annex)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Real Crochet Lace, Yd. 1.50

Hand made, edges and insertions, 1½ to 2 inches wide. (Street Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

36-Inch Printed Fruit of the Loom Yd. 33c

Guaranteed fast colors in neat figured stripes and scrolls; for children's dresses, women's porch dresses and aprons, also men's shirts. (Street Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Girls' Indian Head Bloomer Dresses, 3.69

Collar, cuffs, pockets and front insert of white Indian Head with string belt. In tangerine, copen and yellow, in sizes 8 to 14 years. (Third Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Beautiful 12-inch Vases, 2.95

Decorated with combination floral and mitre cuttings. (Fourth Floor, Annex)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Women's Pumps, 8.75

Smart patent leather colonial model, with black suede underlay in tongue; turn sole. Spanish heel. (Third Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Electric Coffee Percolators, 6.95

Excellent quality; 6-cup size. (Third Floor, Annex)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Women's Tweed Knickers, 4.95

These are all wool and homespuns; models with one and two pockets; the colors are tan, grey and brown. Belts 27 to 35.

(Women's Skirt Section, Second Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Pure Linen Pattern Table Cloth, 3.85

In an assortment of floral designs; 2x2 yards. (Fourth Floor, Main Store)

For Thursday and Friday Only

Misses' Top Coats, 17.50

Spring days will soon be here, then you can make use of one of these coats. Double breasted; made in polo cloth or plaid—comes in tan, grey or caramel shades; also single breasted mannish back in tan and caramel. Sizes 14, 16, 18. (Third Floor, Main Store)

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International News Reel Photo

NANCY LANE KAUFFMAN

Mrs. Kauffman's mother hints that young Kauffman "found someone that he liked better," so failed to come home to the daughter of the late Secretary of the Interior.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 14 (By Cosmopolitan News Service.)—The daintiest romance of the Woodrow Wilson administration which culminated in the "perfect marriage" of Nancy Lane, belle of the Wilson Cabinet, and daughter of the Secretary of the Interior, and Philip Kauffman, Washington clubman, may be broken, as Eastern dispatches have stated, but it wasn't the young wife who tore the petals from the flower of happiness.

This was the statement today of Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, who, with her daughter and the latter's 18-months-old boy, is living with Franklin K. Lane, Jr., in this city.

Mrs. Kauffman refused to see reporters.

At the time of the marriage Kauffman was only twenty and she was just seventeen.

"I am sorry," said Mrs. Lane today, "but Mrs. Kauffman is not well and does no tcare to be interviewed. Any statement that Mrs. Kauffman decided she could not live with Mr. Kauffman and so came West, is not true.

"Mr. Kauffman left the Kauffman apartment in Washington last November. Mrs. Kauffman waited for her husband to return for her or for some sort of an explanation. It soon became perfectly obvious, however, that Mr. Kauffman's interests lay elsewhere. For this reason and because her doctor advised her to come west for her health, Mrs. Kauffman came to California with me."

Asked as to the reason for the trouble in the Kauffman home, Mrs. Lane said: "Well, I suppose he found someone else whom he liked better."

Mrs. Lane added that no plans for a divorce are under consideration at this time.

TWO MEN SHOT IN HANOVER ST. AFFRAY

Two men were taken to the Hay market Square Relief Station today with bullet wounds in their bodies following a shooting affray at No. 440 Hanover street.

The men, Vincenzo Costa, thirty-five years old, and Angelo Barriango, twenty-six years old, were placed under arrest by Patrolman Finn of Station 1.

Costa was found lying in the hallway of the house with a wound in his right forearm. Barriango was found at No. 32 Webster avenue. He had been shot in the right side. Both will recover.

When Finn entered the house he found the place literally filled with men. Luigi F. Calmigo of No. 46 Charter street was arrested for carrying a weapon without a license.

Five others are held as material witnesses.

All of the witnesses refuse to talk.

GRAND JURY TO CONSIDER NUN'S KIDNAPING

Frederick, Md., Feb. 14.—Grand Jury consideration of the kidnaping of Sister Cecilia from the Notre Dame convent Monday was promised today by State's Attorney Anderson if sufficient evidence is discovered.

Although police have expressed a desire to have Sister Cecilia go to Baltimore and aid them in discovering the house in which she declared she was held a prisoner it will be some days before she will be able to make the trip.

Her condition was described by Father William J. Kane, rector of the Catholic parish in which the convent is situated, as serious.

The police investigation in Baltimore has been abandoned until the sister has recovered sufficiently to go there to aid the authorities.

A private detective agency has been employed to assist in running down clews. The local council of the Knights of Columbus also has tendered its services.

SOUTHWICK MAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Westfield, Feb. 14.—Solomon Hendrickson, sixty years old, was killed when struck by a New Haven train near Gongamond. He was employed as a farm hand in Southwick.

JAPS WON'T SEND ENVOY TO VATICAN

Tokio, Feb. 14 (By the Associated Press).—The lower house of the Diet today passed the budget without provision for a mission to the Vatican at Rome.

That followed announced opposition to the mission by the Seiyukai, the Government Party. Buddhist priests had been against the mission, it was reported.

The representative of the Vatican already has arrived in Japan, and the Cabinet thus is placed in an embarrassing position.

Until recently, the Seiyukai had supported the project of a mission while the minority party, the Kenseikai, had worked against it.

BRIGHTON BOY VISITS MOVIES; DISAPPEARS

One month ago today Albert Peterson, sixteen, left his home at No. 424 Washington street, Brighton, to go to the movies. His mother has not seen him since.

Fearing some harm befell him she searched the hospitals and enlisted the aid of the police, but no trace of him has been found.

The boy was dressed in a tweed suit and cap, dark gray overcoat and black shoes. He had his initial and an anchor tattooed on one arm.

JUMP FOR JEALOUSY LIFE AS CAB LED TO BURNS

Engine Crew on New Haven Battles Flames as the Train Speeds Into Pawtucket

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 14.—Fire apparatus of two cities fought a fire in the locomotive of a New Haven passenger train bound from Boston to Providence which arrived here ablaze.

The fire started when the train was crossing the Pawtuxet River.

Engineer Earl Hodgeton and Fireman Frank Ware, both of Providence, fought the flames until within 100 yards of the Pawtucket-Central Falls station, and then, closing the throttle, both leaped from the blazing cab. They escaped with minor burns and bruises.

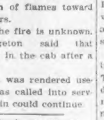
Passengers were unaware of the fight with the flames until the train came to a halt and the station and train were enveloped in smoke. The fire had spread to the coal tender before fire apparatus of Pawtucket and Central Falls arrived and checked the rush of flames toward the passenger cars.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Engineer Hodgeton said that flames broke out in the cab after a sharp explosion.

The locomotive was rendered useless. Another was called into service before the train could continue.

PHONE GIRLS PATCH UP THEIR ROW

Warring factions among local telephone operators are reported as having reached an amicable agreement which will lead to the rechartering of the Local A1 Telephone Operators, Department of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, recently rescinded by Miss Julia S. O'Connor, department president, and the reinstatement of Miss May E. June, a member of the department executive board. The new local 1A, originally designed to supplant the old organization will remain under different designation.



May E. June

The settlement is understood to have come about when counsel for both sides appeared in Superior Court to argue on a permanent injunction against Miss O'Connor.

STRIKERS TO RUN OWN DRUG STORE

New York, Feb. 14.—Officials of the striking International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union today planned to establish a drug store, owned and conducted by the union, from which medicines will be sold at cost exclusively to members.

"Through proper buying and cooperation," reads a notice issued by the union, "the prices charged will be but a small percentage of the usual charges at drug stores."

AGREEMENTS AVERT SOFT COAL STRIKE

Washington, Feb. 14.—The paralyzing coal strike of past year will not be repeated this year because large agreements between bituminous coal operators and miners in nearly all of the soft coal fields of the country have been signed, it was announced today by the United Mine Workers. The agreements, conforming with the basic scale adopted by the general joint conference of operators and miners in New York and reserves for another year continuous production of bituminous coal.

Drink-Crazed Slayer Angered Whenever Wife Spoke to Male Visitors

Insane jealousy of his wife caused William Brown, fifty-four years old, of Saugus, to kill her, declared William Brown, Jr., nineteen-year-old son of the couple.

Brown was jealous of the grocery boy, of the letter carrier, of the ice man or anyone with whom his wife as much as spoke a word, the youth said. When any of these left the Brown house at No. 49 Ballard street after carrying on the flimsy conversation necessary, the son said his father habitually flew into a rage and berated his wife.

AT DINNER TABLE.

Brown shot his wife, Ada, with a one-barrelled shotgun while she sat at the dinner table in their home. The woman died instantly. Later, Brown slashed his own throat. He was treated at the hospital and was able to appear for arraignment at a special session of the Saugus Court.

He pleaded not guilty of murder before Judge William E. Ludden. The police believe that prolonged indulgence in liquor affected Brown's mind. It was learned that after the man is alleged to have blazed away at his wife and while he raved around the house in drunken frenzy, his two-month-old granddaughter, Barbara, lay in a crib in a bedroom whence Brown fired the death shot.

The baby remained there until her frightened mother, who was at the death scene, returned. The mother, Mrs. William Brown, Jr., is eighteen years old. Her husband declared today, in consoling his two younger sisters, Winifred, fourteen, and Bertha, twelve years old, that he would be a father to them.

ELECTION CONTEST AWAITS SPECTACLES

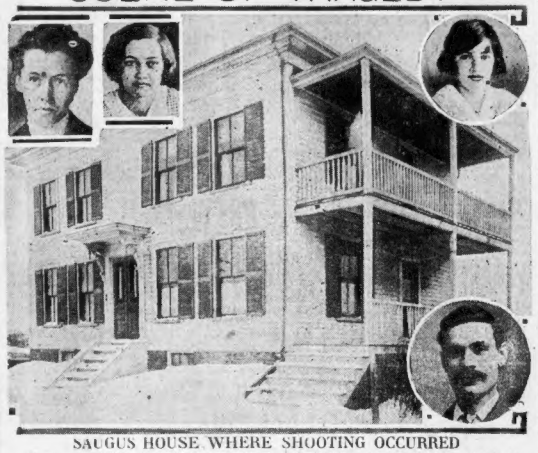
The outcome of the contest in the Twelfth Essex Representative District will not be known until the House convenes today, all because of a pair of tortoise shell spectacles. Representative Edward F. Harrington explained that he would like to read the report of the elections committee on the petition of Napoleon Bergeron and John Hayes for the unseating of Representative Symonds of Lynn, but explained, "I'll have to ask for a continuance, for I left my eyeglasses at home." This was granted, with much laughter.

E. F. Harrington

SHIPPERS ARE SHORT 73,269 FREIGHT CARS

Washington, Feb. 14.—Freight car shortages are still being encountered by railroads and shippers, according to the car service division of the American Railway Association. The number of cars short of shippers' demands January 31, was 73,269, or 515 more than the number short one week before. At the same time, the report said, there was 26,585 cars in surplus, scattered over portions of railroad lines where no current demand existed for them.

SCENE OF TRAGEDY



SAUGUS HOUSE WHERE SHOOTING OCCURRED

The home of William Brown in Saugus, where in a fit of jealous rage for which moonshine is declared the only cause, he shot his wife, Mrs. William Brown (top left), and then slashed his own throat. Brown is shown in lower circle. Their two daughters, Winifred, fourteen years old (above at left), and Bertha, twelve (in circle above at right), returned from school to find their mother dead and their father arrested.

JEALOUSY BACK OF SAUGUS MURDER

Married Aggie Student and Girl Have Fled

VANISHED AT AMHERST SAME DAY

Springfield War Hero, Who Has a Wife, and Attractive Miss Sought as Elopers

Amherst, Feb. 14.—Miss Katherine Fleury, an attractive girl of this town, and Harold E. Smith, a married student at Massachusetts Agricultural College, are missing.

Police and friends of the young couple believe they have eloped. Smith's wife is employed as a clerk in a drug store at Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J Fleury, parents of the missing twenty-one-year-old girl, do not believe she eloped with the student. He had been a caller at their home, but Mrs. Fleury said her daughter had often told her that she "didn't care awfully much for Hare Jr."

The girl and the student vanished on the same day—February 2 last. The girl was last seen boarding an electric car for Holyoke after telling her mother that she was going to that city to buy a present for a girl friend for whom a surprise party was to be given that evening. Smith left the college unnoticed.

Visiting the college for a possible clew from Smith, who is twenty-four years old, the girl's father learned of his disappearance. Mrs. Smith told the father that she supposed he was at the college. Smith was wounded in the World War and was a vocational student.

Miss Fleury is five feet, seven inches in height; weighs 118 pounds, has bobbed brown hair and gray eyes and wore a tan polo coat and a red hat.

MAYOR PLEADS TO LIFT LID ON TAX LIMIT

Characterizing the people of Boston as "humble mendicants coming here year after year with hats in our hands," Mayor Curley today demanded of the legislative Municipal Finance Committee that the existing tax limit be abolished.

Under the existing statutes Boston may spend, for operating expenses just one-half of the amount collected in taxes. This is the only city in the State so restricted.

Declaring that the city should spend $2,000,000 at once to build new streets, Mayor Curley pointed out the cost of snow removal alone thus far has cost a big sum, and then cited figures to show that it is necessary for the city executives to have more money to spend.

"It is a humiliation and an inconvenience for those officials chosen by the city of Boston to have to come here to ask for money to administer the city's affairs. Just think, with $52,800,000 expended last year only $20,000,000 of that was under the direct control of the Mayor.

"It is hard to conceive of the orgy of extravagance which you fear. The danger is imaginary. I am not going to be Mayor permanently. Submit the tax limit to the people of Boston."

ELOPERS RETURN UNDER CLOUD

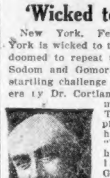
Margaret England, seventeen years old of No. 120 Harvard street, and William Babbick of No. 117 Harvard street, Cambridge, are returning from Worcester in company with a Cambridge police officer and matron.

Miss England and Babbick accompanied by Roland Clements, twenty-two years old of No. 117 Harvard street, and Mary E. Carpenter of No. 252 Broadway, Cambridge, took a mid-Winter outing to Worcester on January 31. Clements and Miss Carpenter returned soon after, and through them Miss England's mother obtained the knowledge of her daughter's whereabouts.

Mrs. England secured an indictment charging Babbick with abduction. The youthful couple claim that it was simply an elopement and that they are married. Police say Babbick has a long record.

Pastor Myers Finds New York City Is 'Wicked to Core'

New York, Feb. 14.—"New York is wicked to the core. It is doomed to repeat the history of Sodom and Gomorrah," was the startling challenge to New Yorkers by Dr. Cortland Myers, former pastor of Tremont Temple, Boston, in his address, "World Upheaval and Religion," at Greenwood Baptist Church, Brooklyn. He continued:



Dr. Myers.

"Its business transgressions are worthy of the tales of Balshaszar. Only an immediate revival can save the city from going to ashes like Egypt, Karnak and Thebes."

Dr. Myers is now associated with the Bible Institute of Los Angeles.

CAMBRIDGE TO GO AFTER COAL DODGERS

Armed with an analysis by Professor Oscar K. Bates of Technology, showing that coal sold by several Cambridge dealers is 50 per cent slate, James T. Barrett, president of the Cambridge City Council, and acting mayor, today began criminal proceedings against the coal gougers.

Cambridge is the first city in the Commonwealth to take such steps since the coal shortage began.

Inspectors Healey and O'Neil of the Cambridge sealers and weights department, at the orders of Acting Mayor Barrett, appeared in court today and asked warrants for the arrest of the dealers.

Two Fined in Lynn for Selling Shortweight Coal

For selling 25-pound bags of coal from 1 to 4 pounds light, George Andrian, No. 495 Eastern avenue, Lynn, paid $25 in Lynn court today. Andrian's scales were not sealed according to law, City Sealer of Weights and Measures Charles P. Murray testified, and his bags did not bear his name, as required by law.

Louis Bernstein of No. 5 Cortland street, Everett, was fined $25 for selling shortweight bags to Arthur Saulmier of Lynn. He appealed.

25 RESCUED AT BIG BLAZE IN PROVIDENCE

Providence, Feb. 14.—Twenty-five men, women and children, on the upper floors of the Furlong apartment house, No. 30 North Court street, were rescued over ladders by firemen when a four-alarm fire swept through the building.

More than fifty occupants were driven into the street, scantily clad, in the bitter cold, and damage estimated at more than $125,000 resulted.

Among those rescued were John W. Harris, eighty-two years old, Lottie Graham, Joseph and Rut'h Gomberg, Samuel and Lillian Goldberg, Frank C. and Mrs. Emma Austin, David and Anna Kenyon, John and Mrs. Florence Holland, Mary, Benjamin and Florence Goula, Anthony and May Meyers, Miss Rose Thomas and Miss Mary O'Donnell.

COURT IN DANGER.

Several other buildings in the vicinity, including the Sixth District Court, were threatened for a time.

One fireman was slightly injured. Lieutenant Charles Goff of Engine Company 15 fell down a stairway from the fifth to the fourth floor. He returned to duty after being treated by Ambulance Surgeon Ching.

The fire originated around an oil-turning steam boiler in the basement of the building and swept through an airshaft in the north end of the.

The first firemen on the scene did heroic work in making rescues. They were aided by several members of Batteries B and C of the 103rd Field Artillery, Rhode Island National Guard, who were on their way to drill.

The building is owned by Max Charren and Isaac Woolfe, and on the street floor are stores occupied by the Kapland Remnant Co., M. H. Hawkins Grocery and A. Feinstein & Son, leather remnants. The stocks were ruined.

RAPS 7,000 STUDENTS WHO PREFER DANCING

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 14.—Facing a class of both sexes, Professor G. L. Montgomery of the English department declared that there are students in the University of California "who should be attached to the handle of a pick or a frying pan." Seventy per cent of the university's 10,000 students, he said, are more interested in dancing than in their studies.

HUB STUDENT TO WED CHORUS GIRL

Joseph V. Rogers, student in a Boston school, and Ione Owen, erstwhile diving girl and now in the chorus of a show at a Boston theatre, have filed intentions to wed at Boston City Hall.

Ione Owen.

Miss Owen, the intentions revealed, is a divorcee. Her first husband's name was Thurston. The chorus girl, however, would neither discuss the grounds on which her divorce was granted nor her coming marriage.

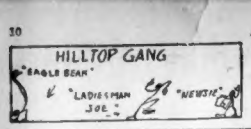
Rogers' home is in Amsterdam, N. Y. His parents, it is believed, are wealthy.

FINDS LYNN WOMAN NEAR DEATH BY GAS

Mrs. Katherine Conroy, a forty-five-year-old widow living at No. 19 Shepherd street, Lynn, is believed dying at Lynn Hospital as result of illuminating gas poisoning. Charles Worth, who lives nearby, forced the door to her kitchen today at the request of neighbors and found her unconscious on a couch. On of the burners on her gas stove was partly open. The police say it was an accident.

WESTFIELD SCHOOL CLOSED BY SICKNESS

Westfield, Feb. 14.—St. Mary's School here is closed as many of its pupils are ill. Coal shortage is held to be the cause of much of the sickness. The only hospital in the city is nearly filled.



BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

HARVARD AND QUEEN'S COLLEGE ICE HOCKEY STARS CLASH

CRIMSON OUT TO BEAT SCORE MADE BY B. C.

Fans will have a real chance to compare the relative merits of the Harvard and Boston College hockey teams when the Crimson meets Queen's College tonight at the Arena.

Both B. C. and Harvard met Boston Hockey Club early in the season. B. C. played a 2 to 2 overtime tie with the club men and Harvard defeated them, 3 to 0.

Boston College won from Queen's on Monday, 2 to 1.

No team that has been at the Arena this season, club or college, has shown such dashing hockey as that displayed by Boston College in the first ten minutes of the game against Queen's. It was not till Queen's started "bodying" that the Eagles were slowed.

Harvard is so well equipped for hard checking hockey that it behooves Queen's despite the size of its players to pay attention to the disk for Ted Crosby and George Owen, not to mention George Walker, Maurann Beals and Francis Hill, are well set up youths fit for any style Queen's elects to play.

There is much at stake aside from the desire of Harvard players to make a better showing against the Canadians than Boston College did. Harvard and Queen's have met three times and the Canadians have triumphed on two occasions. In 1915 Queen's beat the Crimson team led by Bill Claffin, present coach, 3 to 1 and again in 1916 the Canadians won 4 to 2. In 1917 Harvard stopped Queen's 5 to 1. The Crimson is anxious to even the series.

There is great interest in the B. A. A.-New Haven game tomorrow night. New Haven and the Unicorn play the sort of hockey the fans like, a thrill a minute.

Cornell will play Harvard Saturday night. It will be Cornell's first appearance on the local surface in many years. Teams from Ithaca always show good hockey against the Crimson.

The second game of the double-header between the Victorias and the Canadian Club of New York should bristle with action.

Boston College will make a trip through New York State next week. Boston fans are strong for Fred Rocquin now.

Next Tuesday Boston College plays West Point. The following day the Eagles meet Hamilton College at Clinton, N. Y. The Nicholas Club of Buffalo, composed of many former Dartmouth stars, will oppose Boston College at Buffalo, February 28 and 24.

Lexington Boys Play

The Lexington High School boys' basketball five will play Winchester this afternoon.

ARENA LINEUP TONIGHT

HARVARD.		QUEEN'S.
Hill, l.w.	.....	r.w., Brown
Beals, c.	.....	c., Bond
Walker, r.w.	.....	l.w., Gibson
Owen, Ld.	.....	r.d., Smith
Crosby, r.d.	.....	l.d., Reynolds
Bigelow, g.	.....	g., Quinn

McMANUS TRAINS FOR NATIONALS

Terry McManus of the South End A. A., who has been resting up since the last tri-city amateur tournament, has entered into active training preparatory to attempting to annex the national 135-pound title.

T. McManus.

This is Terry's first year in the boxing game, but he has proved to the patrons of amateur boxing that he is one of the most promising local boys in the purses.

Andy Martin, one of the classiest performers in the 118-pound class, is a member of the same organization as McManus.

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1—Invictus, Miles M., Forty Two.
2—Elmer K., Royal Charlie, Sagamore.
3—Sandra, Jack Fairman, Jailbird.
4—Better Times, Stump, Jr., Elizabeth Reed.
5—Knight of the Heather, Magician, May Bodine.
6—Exhorter, Our Setter, Trooper.

BEST OF THE DAY

AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Milton M., Forty Two, Blue Monday.
2—Elmer K., Royal Charlie, Sagamore.
3—Ashford, My Rosie, Amanda.
4—Better Times, Elizabeth Reed, Certeur.
5—The Peruvian, Knight of the Heather, May Bodine.
6—Serbian, Mates, Trooper.

AT HAVANA.

1—Josephine M., Smile, Sergio 12.
2—Sapiro, Hunter, Two Eyed.
3—Kentucky Belles, Pandies, Overton.
4—Sally Dee, Rubana, Reveta.
5—Soubrus, East View, Pinnacle.
6—Smart Money, Daddy, Whippenwill.
7—Assumption, Ale Sabletasky, Dainty Lady.

AT TIA JUANA.

1—Trigueno, El Rebis, Little Smile.
2—Tea Set, Bell, Feelin Right.
3—Turnkey, Little Jack, Little Gish.
4—Lenny, Norfolk, Tabloid.
5—Lenny, Mickey, Midas, Fine Steel.
6—Harry D., Full Moon, Honest George.
7—Lady Dee, Mazie F., Ann Day.
8—Dehlmar, Phanacorr, Sam Bah.

HARVARD COACH DRIVES CREW CANDIDATES

Frank Muller, the new Harvard crew coach, believes in action—and lots of it.

Muller has started to put the Crimson oarsmen through stiff paces on the machines. Tank work will begin in the near future.

Muller has chosen a varsity squad of five crews of forty-five oarsmen and coxswains.

They are located as follows:

Crew A.—Bow, R. F. Rice-Barrett, '22; 2, H. S. Morgan, '22; 3, G. S. Jones, '22; 4, N. G. Wells, '23; 5, B. McK. Henry, '24; 6, A. H. Hoffman, '22; 7, T. H. R. Fuller, '23; stroke, S. N. Brown, '24.

Crew B.—Bow, G. S. Mumford, '23; 2, J. D. Jameson, '24; 3, Francis Finke, '23; 4, T. H. Eliot, '22; 5, F. Bridgeman, '23; 6, Parker Hamilton, '24; 7, D. S. Holder, '24; stroke, R. S. Fay, '23.

Crew C.—Bow, R. F. Rice-Barrett, '22; 2, Stratford, '23; 3, Stanley Bradford, '24; 4, Hubbard, '23; 5, R. Beverly Bowie, '24; 6, C. K. Cummings, '23; 7, A. ——, '24; stroke, R. Matthews, '24.

Crew D.—Bow, C. H. Hodgkiss, '24; 2, M. W. Bennett, '23; 3, A. M. McCleary, '24; 4, H. S. Raymond, '24; 5, T. J. Curtis, '23; 6, F. D. Kenneally, '23; 7, H. M. Bebler, '25; stroke, J. R. Hoover, '24.

Crew E.—Bow, W. M. Fairleigh, '23; 2, W. J. Hinds, '24; 3, Alfred Colman, '23; 4, C. M. Hastings, '23; 5, H. G. Curran, '23; 6, H. O. Black, '23; 7, R. W. Hale-camp, '23; stroke, Lovell Thompson, '25.

RAY IN MILE AT LEGION GAMES

Joie Ray's second Boston appearance this season is scheduled for February 22, when, at the East Armory, on East Newton street, he will perform in the invitation Boston Mile at the American Legion games.

Joie Ray

His remarkable work in the recent B. A. A. meet and his sensational record-breaking performances since that meet show him to be in the speediest form of his brilliant career, and as he will face a most able field it is possible he may set a new indoor record for the distance.

Another record-holder who will appear in the Legion games is Willie Ritola, winner of the B. A. A. three-mile run, and holder of the world's three-mile record. Willie defeated Ray when the pair met in a mile and three-quarters handicap race this week, and he, too, may be looked to for a new record mark over the three-mile route.

In addition to an excellent program of relay races there will be competition in the following handicap, special and schoolboy events: handicap 50-yards dash, handicap 880-yards run, handicap one-mile run, Caston 600-yards run, Boston mile run, three-mile invitation, schoolboy 50-yards dash, schoolboy 440-yards dash, and schoolboy 1,000-yards run.

DELMONT LOSES TO JACKIE BERNSTEIN

New York, Feb. 14.—Jackie Bernstein, of Yonkers, scored all the way over Gene Delmont, of Memphis, in a five-round bout.

Delmont took an awful pounding through every session, in fact, it is doubtful if Gene ever went through a worse evening, but he stayed with the younger man from Yonkers.

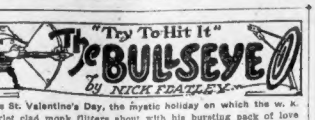
Delmont weighed 131 pounds, Bernstein was a half pound lighter.

Joie Baker, the Canadian feather-weight, won a slow ten-round semi-final over Sam Greenstein.

Ernest Smith beat Buddy Wallace in six rounds.

"Try To Hit It" The BULL-SEYE By NICK D'ALTLEY

THIS is St. Valentine's Day, the mystic holiday on which the w. k. scarlet clad monk flitters about with his bursting pack of love tokens, dripping hearts and sentiment at every step. Not being a legal holiday they are like to overlook the date and forget to send the red and lace trifle, the heart shaped box of violets, or the proverbial pink and white confections. If Friend Wife hasn't a floozy Valentine to show the Jane upstairs, whose husband never forgets the gala days of the year, woe betide the absent minded spouse, when he makes his daily home run as the evening shades are falling. It's safe to say that the evening shades won't be all that will fall.



Then take the young man who hasn't as yet been sentenced for life. He has a very, tough time selecting his little poster. If it's too impersonal, it's goodnight to those nifty little luncheons after the show. On the other hand, if he picks too passionate a lyric, in all decency he has to throw his cards on the table and commit himself to the ranks of the vanquished. The only ones who really enjoy the day are the stationers, who make quite a nice profit, and the kids, who swap tender and sarcastic sentiments without the least fear of a comeback. When we were young, cluster was to exchange horrible caricatures, which covered the whole range of humanity and were obtainable for one cent per each. But those days have gone forever. Try to get a Valentine boy that will go over, without spending a flock of jack. Below are a few samples, which the worried can paste on a five dollar bill, and deliver, if they dare:

FOR THE WIFE

YOU'VE been pestering me for over a month
To be some surprise you on Valentine's Day;
I know that this package will give you a start,
The candy's cheap, but the spirit's O. K.

FOR THE HUSBAND

WHEN the fates picked out a mate for me,
I feel quite sure they acted mean,
But there's one thing you do, old Dear,
You keep my sense of humor keen.

FOR THE COAL MAN

FOR every hard, black lump you kept
While we all froze and shivered,

You'll get your just deserts some day;
We'll see that they're delivered.

GEORGES TO JACK

MY nose is red,
My eyes are blue,
My beauty's wrecked,
And all through you.

TO TUT-ANK-AMEN

WE too would like a nice long sleep
Within the silence of your tomb;
Wine strainers, goblets, other things
Would help alleviate the gloom.

AND THEN, THERE'S THIS
(Day's Best Offering, Undoubtedly)

YOU have flouted my passionate verses and pleas
In a manner that's horribly shocking;
I believe if I wooed you on my bended knees,
You'd just grin at the fun in my stocking.
But still, on this Day, have my sentiments—these;
You're a laugh—and dear Nick, I'm not knocking.
ERMYNTRUDE.

TO THE INCOME TAX MAN

WE'D like to see your bloodless heart
Mounted on a card of white;
If you and yours were gone from here
The world would be much nearer right.

CASEY MEET HAS MANY SPECIALS

Brown's failure to accept the invitation to meet the Dartmouth one-mile relay quartet, which Brown defeated at the recent B. A. A. game, has sent the K. of C. official scurrying about for another feature attraction for Saturday's meet at Mechanics Building.

The race between the Bruin and Indian quartets at the B. A. A. games developed one of the real thrills of the meet, for in the last lap of the final relay with the Dartmouth anchor man ten yards in the lead, Brown's No. 4 runner swept up and up and finally in the last strive split the finish tape only two inches ahead of the Green.

But despite the absence of this number the K. of C. program will produce many sensations. All the special events show imposing entry lists and many of the relays already carded involve closely matched teams. Bob McAllister, the "flying cop," who was unable to appear at the B. A. A. meet, has assured the Casey officials he will be on hand Saturday.

Bob McAllister.

SELECT BOSTON'S TRI-CITY TEAM

The international tri-city amateur boxing tournament, which will be held at Mechanics Building next Monday night among Boston, Montreal and New York, was given impetus when the team which will uphold the Hub was selected as follows:

112-pound class—Tommy Duffy, Revere; Sammy Fuller, North End.

118-pound class—Andy Martin, South End; Arnold Ryan, Dorchester.

126-pound class—John Andreasano, East Boston.

135-pound class—Mickey Landers, North End; Terry McManus, South End.

OLD BELFRY CLUB HAS A TOURNAMENT

At the Old Belfry Club, in Lexington, this evening there is a mixed bowling tournament. It will run several evenings a week, until April 17.

The Old Belfry has two more inter-club nights, with the Waban Club of Newton. On Saturday, at Newton and at Lexington on February 23.

Postpone Hockey Game

Because of the snowstorm that covered the rink the Greater Boston Interscholastic Hockey League game between Arlington and Rindge Tech was postponed.

Commissioner Landis Says It's All a Dream

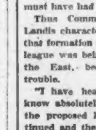
By Universal Service

Chicago, Feb. 14.—"Someone must have had a dream."

Thus Commissioner K. M. Landis characterized the report that formation of a new baseball league was being considered in the East, because of draft trouble.

"I have heard nothing and know absolutely nothing about the proposed league," he continued and then laughingly referred to it as "a dream."

TERRIBLE TURK CERTAIN OF VICTORY



Hassen Ali, the Terrible Turk, who wrestles George Calza at the Grand Opera House tomorrow night, arrived in town last night full of confidence. He plans to take a workout at the Tyler Street Gymnasium today and then rest for the struggle. He thinks that he is too strong and will make the going too tough for the Italian champion.

George Kotsonares, the Greek champion, is strong for a battle with either John Pesek or Calza. Stanley Stasiak, the Polish Hercules, is out to wrestle Calza, Stanley Zbyszko or Strangler Ed Lewis.

The winner of this match can hardly escape meeting one of these two challengers, while on the other hand a lot of fans would like to see the Turk meet Stasiak whether he wins or loses because of his gigantic size as they have never seen Stasiak meet a man as large as he is.

Joe Perelli will have a hard match on his hands when he meets Eddie Chabco, the middle-weight champion of the navy. Charley Metro, the Albanian Tiger, will meet Frank Manto in a one-fall finish contest.

Sam Smith will reforce all the bouts.

EIGHT STARS ROLL AT ARLINGTON

Tonight is the night for a large number of rollers to turn out and witness the final matches for the New England candlepin championships at the Regent Alleys, Arlington.

Paul Foehler.

Eight men have stood the dizzy clip and are qualified for the finals tonight.

In the lot are Paul Foehler, Cambridge, and Archie Walsh. These pin topplers have clashed time and again on different alleys throughout the State, but never before have they got into a match of this type, or with so much at stake.

The other six men who are slated to roll are: Mickey McKee of Boston, James Cilndy, Jimmy Clancy, Charlie Gangi, Givan and Randall.

ST. MARK'S C. C. TO BATTLE CASEYS

Washington's Birthday at the South Boston High School St. Mark's Catholic Club of Dorchester will play the fast Pere Marquette Council, K. of C. This promises to be one of the big games of the day. St. Mark's are going at a fast clip.

The St. Mark's will play as follows: Collins, l.f.; Leonard, Fairgutin, r.f.; O'Brien, Baxter, c., McGonagle, Griffen, r.b., and Martin, Howard, l.b.

Sarazen Tells How to Play Golf

By GENE SARAZEN
World's Champion Golfer
(POSITION FOR MIDIRON.)

Back-swing of the mid-iron shot, the position of the elbows and arms are most important.

The right elbow is held close to the body and is down—not up or out, while the left elbow and arm as well are close to the body and in straight line.

The position of the left wrist is underneath the club. In this position the face of the club head must always be open. It cannot be otherwise.

As for the hands—they are not higher than the shoulder. The right leg is held rigid, bracing the body so that it cannot sway.

The left knee and hip are turned in toward the ball and that the left heel is raised slightly.

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BASEBALL WAR THREAT IN HINT OF NEW LEAGUE

By THOMAS L. GUMMISKEY.

New York, Feb. 14—The American and National Leagues, blocked by the refusal of five last-draft leagues to accept the rules that all players sent to the minors must be subject to draft, may finance a new league to take care of such players.

The cities suggested for the circuit are: Toronto, Buffalo, Newark, Baltimore (all now having International League clubs) Montreal, Providence, Washington and Brooklyn.

The league will start some time in May, or around June 15, when all major league clubs must reduce rosters to twenty-five players.

The teams in Washington and Brooklyn would play when the Senators and Brooklyns were away on the road.

When President Heydler of the National League was asked at the meeting of the magnates of his circuit if he had heard of such a plan, and, if the club owners had discussed it at the meeting, said he had heard of such a report, but that it was not discussed.

The leagues against the rule are the International, Pacific Coast, the American Association, Class AA circuits and the Three I League and Western Association, Class A organizations.

Minors Assert That the Majors Violated Agreement

These circuits assert that the majors have violated an agreement made when Commissioner Landis entered office in January, 1921, that they would not be subject to any draft while the commissioner was in his present term of office, which has until 1927 to run, unless by joint consent of majors and minors.

The majors claim the non-draft minor circuits refused to entertain certain propositions.

At National League meeting, President Heydler said his clubs were all for the draft ,ruling to go through, and that no change of any kind in it should be made. The same holds true, he said, for the increase from 5 to 15 in players to be sent out under option by any major league club, to which the minors also object.

Rube Benton Status Is Put Up to Landis

The status of Rube Benton, who wishes to twirl for the Reds again, was put in the hands of President Heydler.

"I can frankly say," he declared, "that I shall be guided by Judge Landis' finding. He is the authority.

I shall act according to his finding.

The adoption of the National League schedule was a formality. The season will begin April 17, with the following opening games: New York at Boston, Pittsburgh at Chicago, St. Louis at Cincinnati, Philadephia at Brooklyn. Each team will travel about 87,711 miles.

Umpire Charley Rigler Resigns for Business

President Heydler announced, with regret, that Charles Rigler, an umpire since 1906, had resigned to devote his time to his oil and gas business in Kentucky. The following umpires were appointed: Hank O'Day, Bill Klem, Ernest Quigley, Charley Moran, Barry McCormick, Bob Hart, Paul Sentell, Charles Pfirman.

The waiver price was raised from $2,500 to $4,000, which will be in conformity with the American League.

The proposal to have players numbered, so as to identify them to spectators, was left to each club for decision. One or two clubs may make the experiment.

Fuller Will Teach at Y

Thomas R. Fuseal, State golf champion in 1908, has been secured to teach golf at the Huntington avenue branch of the Y. M. C. A. He has played golf for twenty-six years and has taught golf for six years, five at the B. A. A.

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WHAT'S YOUR LIST?

SPORTS

PANCHO VILLA MAKES SHORT WORK OF FRANKIE MASON

FILIPINO KNOCKS HIM OUT IN THE FIFTH

Pancho Pancho Villa, the doughty little Filipino, knocked out Frankie Mason of Fort Wayne, Ind., in the fifth round of the main bout, billed for ten rounds, at the Arena A. C. show in Mechanics Building. The diminutive brown man made short work of the Hoosier farmer

Mason was not even a hod carrier, or a bricklayer, although some of the spectators thought he showed too much eagerness to step. But Mason was induced to take a nap by the sopolific administered by the man from the islands of the Pacific. He made an ineffectual attempt to arise

Villa sent down Mason twice. Just as soon as the spectators saw Mason go down for the first time they made up their minds that it was the beginning of the end and that Mason would not last out the session. There was a dash for the exits, but when Pancho clouted Frankie for keeps the rush towards the exits never developed into a wild scramble

Villa accommodated those present, for the show was late at the start. But for the decisive victory obtained by Hamtone Kelly in the second contest the program might have lasted until after 11. As it was the entertainment was concluded before 10:30, for Villa's expeditious victory shortened the card

Mason made a game, determined stand in the fourth round and in the middle of that session actually outfought the champion. For one of the three minutes he made it too interesting for Villa and the crowd which had gone with the Filipino as he surged out front turned right round and rooted for the Ft Wayne boxer But the storm suddenly swung sided and proved only a flurry.

Mason had some advantage in height and reach and might have done better had he forced the fighting His good showing in the middle minute of the fourth round was due to his aggressiveness and to the fact that he made the issue

The contest disposed of Mason as a pretender for the flyweight title Villa weighed 111 pounds and Mason 110

The victory of Hamoone Kelly in the second bout was received with acclaim by the large crowd Hamboone's victim was Billy Mack doom of Lynn. The south Boston southpaw thumped Wilson so hard that there was no question about the complete finish

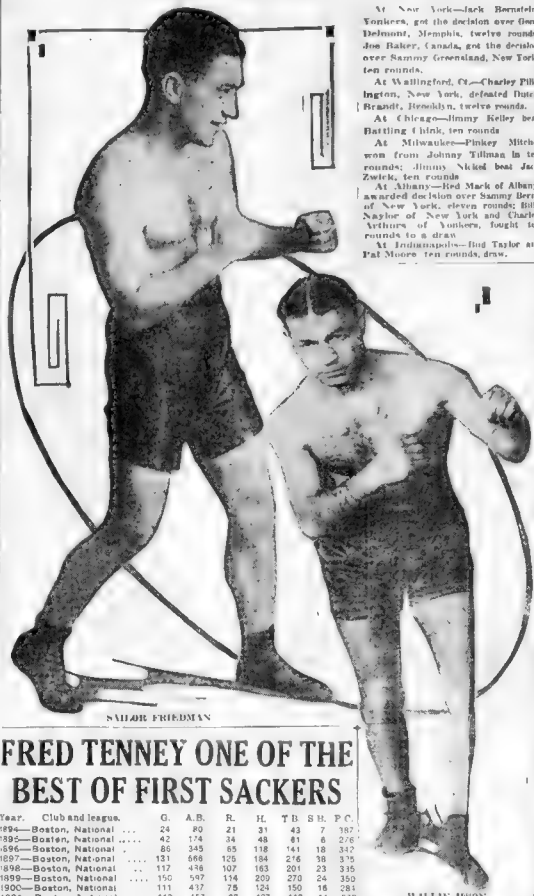
The opener also ended in a knockout for the towel was tossed in to the ring by Ernie Sawyer's squires The North Ender, in his professional debut, suffered from stage fright and from severe and heavy buffeting by Young Connoyer of Derry, N H The bout ended summarily in the sixth round

The semi-final went 10 rounds The principals were Mike Bellerino a Filipino, and Billy Fitzsimmons of Chelsea. Bellerino proved Fitzmaster. He had it all over the Chelsea

Phil Powers, in his day a very clever boxer, handled all contests

The Arena Club's next show will be held on Tuesday, February 27, and Dave Shade, conqueror of Eddie Sherlin will meet George Ward of Elizabeth, N. J. in the main battle

STARS IN MAIN BOUT AT FENWAY SHOW



SAILOR FRIEDMAN

WILLIE IRION

Boston American Ring Results

At New York—Jack Bernstein, Yonkers, got the decision over Gene Delmont, Memphis, twelve rounds; Joe Baker, Canada, got the decision over Sammy Greenland, New York, ten rounds.

At Wallingford, Ct.—Charley Pilkington, New York, defeated Dutch Brandt, Brooklyn, twelve rounds.

At Chicago—Jimmy Kelley beat Battling Chink, ten rounds

At Milwaukee—Pinkey Mitchel won from Johnny Tillman in ten rounds; Jimmy Nickel beat Jack Zwick, ten rounds

At Albany—Red Mack of Albany, awarded decision over Sammy Bernof New York, eleven rounds; Billy Naylor of New York and Charley Arthurs of Yonkers, fought ten rounds to a draw

At Indianapolis—Bud Taylor and Pal Moore ten rounds, draw.

FRIEDMAN WILL GET PLENTY OF ACTION

By RINGSIDE

Sailor Friedman of Chicago, with his manager loudly cheering that the youth is a set to win the welterweight title, will get plenty of competition when he makes his bow to Boston's shrewd fans at the Fenway show at Mechanics Building Arena. According to all the records and everything the Sailor is quite a bitter and quite a boxer plenty good in all the various ends of his business

Willie Harmon, who has been elected to stem the Western assault, brings a very pretentious record into the ring with him also. He has won about thirty fights in a row and we ask you, how good a boxer he must be? They haven't all been setups, either. He has knocked off some tough lads so the Friedman attack shouldn't bother him much

The Sailor [illegible] over the great [illegible] Leonard last night [illegible] a regular road show [illegible] a whole lot of [illegible] the gate will be [illegible] was. He also has a formidable array of [illegible] and [illegible] in the record and if the [illegible] for some very [illegible] easy

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BOSTON AMERICAN'S TWO PAGES OF LAUGHTER

POLLY AND HER PALS

At Least It Would Be Something Expensive

By Cliff Sterrett

HONEST!
SURE! DIDN'T YOU KNOW THAT TOMORROW'S MY BIRTHDAY?
WOT'S ON YER CHEST CHOLLY?
I WISH I KNEW WOT POLLY'D LIKE FER = BIRTHDAY PRESENT.
WHY DONTCHA ASK HER, Y'POKE HICK!
GOOD HEAVENS! MR PERKINS.
I CAN'T AFFORD SUTHIN' AS EXPENSIVE AS THAT!
CLIFF STERRETT.

ABIE THE AGENT

There's No Rest for the Weary

By Hershfield

ANY MAIL ACCUMULATED TOGETHER FOR ME??
YES, MISTER KARIBBLE YOU HAVEN'T BEEN TO THE CLUB HERE LATELY!
AS ALL OF US RECEIVE AND READ OUR MAIL, US NEVER STOP TO REALIZE THE HARDSHIPS THE POSTMAN GOES THROUGH IN DELIVERING IT! THEY'RE OUR UNDERPAID = I'M A GREAT BELIEVER IN RAISING THE PAY OF MAIL CARRIERS!
THROUGH RAIN, SNOW, SLUSH, MUD = NEVER COMPLAINING, THEY RISK THEIR LIVES AND HEALTH TO DO THEIR DUTY! THE MAIL CARRIER'S JOB IS NO CINCH!
IT'S HARDSHIP AND NOT MUCH SALARY!
AND THAT AIN'T THE WORST PART ABOUT THAT JOB = IT'S STEADY
HERSHFIELD

US BOYS

Skinny Spoils Emily's Aim

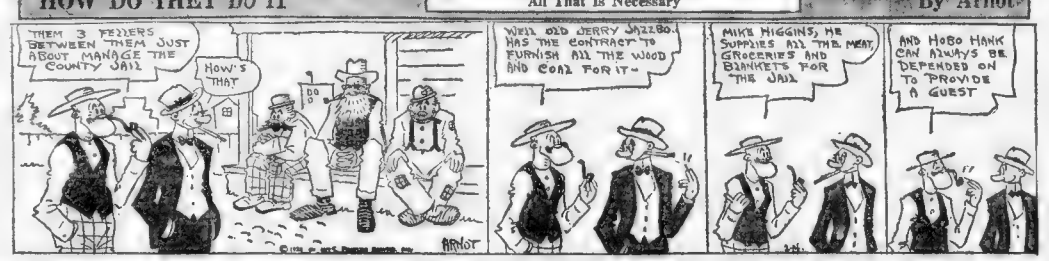
By McNamara

I GOTTA LOOK OUT FOR EMILY MORTON TO-DAY! I SENT HER A WOODEN 'VALOMTIME' COVERED WITH MUD!
BOY! IF SHE EVER BITES INTO IT!
TI-E VALOMTIME
AWWW, I'M GONNA TELL MY MOMS! I NEVER DONE A DOG GONE THING!
I'VE A GOOD MIND TO TELL YOUR MOTHER FOR BEING IN THE WAY WHEN I THREW THAT BLOCK AT THAT ROUGH NECK, SO YOU KNOW THAT
SAY, WHAT THE — !
JAMES McNAMARA

HOW DO THEY DO IT

All That Is Necessary

By Arnot


THEM 3 FELLERS BETWEEN THEM JUST ABOUT MANAGE THE COUNTY JAIL
HOW'S THAT
WELL OLD JERRY JAZZBO HAS THE CONTRACT TO FURNISH ALL THE WOOD AND COAL FOR IT=
MIKE HIGGINS, HE SUPPLIES ALL THE MEAT, GROCERIES AND BLANKETS FOR THE JAIL
AND HOBO HANK CAN ALWAYS BE DEPENDED ON TO PROVIDE A GUEST
ARNOT

THE THIMBLE THEATRE

"All Is Fair in Love and War"

By Segar

HAMGRAVY HELLO- THIS MEXICAN IS TRYING TO FLIRT WITH ME
GOSH, WHAT A BRUTE!
SAY YOU BIG BUM I'LL KNOCK YOU SILLY IF YOU DONT LOOK OUT.
YOU KEEP AWAY FROM MY SWEETY OR I'LL KNOCK YA LOOSE FROM YOUR EYE TEETH GET ME!!
GEE BUT YOU'RE BRAVE HAMGRAVY
THANK GOODNESS, HE DON'T UNDERSTAND ENGLISH
SEGAR

LET THE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT

I DON'T KNOW WHETHER I CAN GO WITH YOU OR NOT, BILL.- I'LL CALL UP THE WIFE-
WELL AN' GOOD-
HELLO, DEAR- SAY, DEAR, I'D LIKE TO STAY IN TOWN WITH BILL TONIGHT IF-
WHY CERTAINLY, DEAR!- HAVE A GOOD TIME! G'BYE!
SHE SAID I COULD!- WHAT IN THE WORLD CAN BE WRONG- WITH HER?

As They Do in Utopia

By Les Conklin

"GOOD morning," Mr. Milton-Bargrew" smiled Solomon Shaugnessy the famous book agent, as he bowled over three office boys and entered the private office of the great manufacturer. "I am selling a new book which I know you would be interested in."

"Sit down and have a cigar," replied the marvelous accounts collector. "What is the name of the book?

"It is called 'The Life and Habits of the Brown Ant' and was written by a keeper at Marlowman after a lifetime of study, and is a valuable and beautiful [illegible]

I'll take it. [illegible] and signed and the [illegible] receipt by the factory. [illegible] Mr. Milton wrote. [illegible] reading about ants maybe [illegible] few pages of interesting [illegible] And if you [illegible] while I ring up I have her [illegible] give you [illegible] as of all the other business men on the block, because I know they will want copies, too."

"Did you wish to see me?" Miss Rand inquired Jerry Jazzbo, as he laid down his saxophone and opened the door of his apartment.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Kale, who lived in the next apartment. "My husband is trying to figure out his income tax but he can't seem to concentrate on it because you make so much noise on that tin horn of yours."

"Gosh, I'm awful sorry," apologized the woodshe musician. "This is the only time I have to play, but I wouldn't disturb you for anything. And if your husband needs any assistance, I would be glad to help him because I want to know how to figure up my own income tax when I get to be rich."

"What is the charge against this man?" inquired the Judge, as the cross-eyed man brought before [illegible]

"He came into my store with a gold-fish bowl in his hand," replied the clerk. "The bowl is filled in forty places and chips in the [illegible] with a black [illegible]

"Have you anything to say in your defense?" [illegible] the Judge.

"Indeed I have," replied Mr. Goldstein. "She traded me fur [illegible] for an enamel [illegible]

"In that case your action was [illegible] I commend you Judge. We [illegible] entitled to a speedy [illegible] and I will be glad to do everything in my power to aid you."

The Winning Nifties

Today's winners:

Which snake excels at arithmetic?

The adder.

Dennis, 107 Lincoln street, Worcester, Mass.

What American city does the Lausanne Conference resemble?

Council Bluffs.

CARD B. CLIFFORD.

East Pepperell, Mass.

What is the force that moves people along the streets?

The police force.

FRANCIS KELLY.

No. 75 Hampshire street, Lowell, Mass.

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EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

The Boston American will pay $1 for every letter published on "The Most Embarrassing Moment in My Life." Address Embarrassing Moments, Boston American.

Last week a girl friend of mine invited me to her class dance.

While I was speaking to her my false tooth in the front of my mouth became loose and as I turned toward her and was all ready to reply to her question the tooth fell out and landed in my lap. She returned it to me with a smile. Embarrassed? Use your own judgment.

WILLIAM L. GREBBINS.

P. O. Box 2118, Boston, Mass.

THE BEST JOKE I EVER HEARD

The Boston American will pay $1 for "Best Joke" published. Address "Jokes" Boston American.

Young wife and to wife—Didn't I warn you not to bring your mother with you?

Young Wife—That's what she wanted to see you about. She read the telegram.

J. BARRY

Armory street, Wakefield.

Flapper Fairy Tales

Ludwig—Good evening, darling. Are you all ready to go to the big dance?

Georgette—Oh, Ludwig, I have a surprise for you. To-night we go [illegible] to town [illegible] going with you in my place. This is the first time she has ever been in a big city and I thought it would be nice to show her a good time.

Have a Smile With Us

By Nat N. Dorfman

THE man who talks a lot usually doesn't say much, and if he happens to be one of those foreign lecturers who tells us how to live, he says even less than that.

They say every knock is a boost. But the fellow knocked down by an auto is boosted the furthest.

For Brainy People

Q—What's the best way to dodge an auto while crossing the street?

A—Become a traffic cop.

Q—How can I cut myself off from the rest of the world?

A—There are two effective ways. Become Vice-President of the United States or enter a telephone booth and try to get a number.

Q—I don't believe in paint and powder. Am I a rare creature?

A—Either you are very beautiful and don't need any or you are so homely nothing can help you.

Q—Is the climate of Europe, Cuba or Canada exhilarating?

A—Yes, about as exhilarating as any spot beyond the three-mile limit.

Q—I am regarded as pretty clever. I intend becoming engaged. What does that prove?

A—That you are not as clever as you say you are.

Q—We have been friends for twenty years. Yesterday he asked me to lend him one hundred dollars. Where does friendship [illegible]

A—Right after you give him the money.

Hi Jinks Says—

One half the world doesn't know how the other half gets its credit at the butcher, grocer and baker.

A great many fellows who play golf also play the lyre.

A good cook is harder to get than a good wife, and you don't have to pay a good cook alimony if there's a separation.

SMART SAYINGS OF CLEVER CHILDREN

The Boston American will pay $1 for published smart sayings. Address "Smart Sayings," Boston American.

The school committeeman was visiting a country school, and thinking he would try out the pupils in the lower grades, said: "Some one give me a number." A little girl said 40, and he put it on the board. Another one said 96, and he put 96 on the board. At last a small tot said "17. Let's see you change that."

C. W. BAILEY,

P. O. Box 883, Woods Hole.

RADIO RAGTIME

HELLO, Cinders.

Ah there, Ashes.

What's on your mind today besides your skimmer?

Oh, I haven't even got the skimmer on.

Well, you're head's a blank anyway. What have you today?

Oh, I got a few.

All right. Shoot the few.

Here goes:

"Why is an umbrella like Good Friday?

"Never seen after Lent."

Attaboy, you nabbed that baby. I'll say I did.

Well, grab this one: "Why is a minister like a brakeman?"

"Does a lot of coupling."

"That's right. Get this, heavy: "What relation is the doormat to the floor?"

"A step-father."

Righto. How'd you guess one?"

Anybody could guess those. I'll bet all readers know 'em.

Let's s—k 'em.

All right.

Hey, readers, weren't those easy today?

Keep your headpiece on, Ashes, and let a wail for the answer.

I'm waiting, Cinders.

Our Hall of Fame.

My hero is
Cornelius Chilcoat,
He eats green peas
And never spills 'em.

BY HIGHEST SALARIED COMIC ARTISTS IN WORLD

BRINGING UP FATHER TEN YEARS AGO — By George McManus

PLEASE DONT MAKE ANY REMARKS TONIGHT MISS VAN ZANK IS SO SENSITIVE
I TOP MY SAXE PUR PAN PLEASE
GEE! WHAT ARE WE ALL JUMPIN ON A FELLER FOR?
MY HUSBAND, MRS VAN ZINK
HELLO LADY
CHOKED IN SUAL
GEE BUT MY BACK IS ITCHY FROM THAT NEW UNDERSHIRT
OH DEAR CAMEL!
HOW DARE YOU SIR!
WHAT - THE HECK - IS THE MATTER WITH MY UNDERSHIRT
HELP
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Bobbie and His Pa

By W. F. Kirk

A GRATE manner-facterer, I doant know if I have got that spelt rite, departed from this here vale of tears the other day, Ma sed to Pa, & he left all his munny to his first wife, his second wife was ded, sed Ma. I think that was sweet of him, Ma sed, to remember his first wife was gone, doant you, Ma sed to Pa.

I doant know, sed Pa, I doant know anything about a second wife, never having had but the one, sed Pa.

You may have a second wife, sum day, sed Ma.

Not me, sed Pa. Not this old sport, Pa sed. Of course there is men that marries agreen if there first wifes kick the bucket, sed Pa, but if you shud happen to croke, sed Pa to Ma, I wud go out to the mound in the serminary ware you are sleeping, sed Pa, & I wud freeze to death neer yure tomb-stone, sed Pa.

How cheerful, sed Ma. Let us not speek of deth, Ma sed.

That is jest what I wud do, tho, sed Pa. I wud curl up & pass away if you left this here valley of work & taxes, sed Pa.

Wud you reely, deereet? sed Ma. Then I hoap I will live ever & ever so long, sed Ma. But if you shud happen to leave me & marry eggorn, sed Ma, maybe you will think of the mother of littel Bobbie, sed Ma, & do what that rich manner facterer done, sed Ma, leave all yure munny to me.

I doant know, sed Pa, most men that gits married too offen doant have any munny to leeve wen they parrish, sed Pa.

Well, sed Ma, as long as you have promised me that you will not leeve me & marry a second mate, sed Ma, I feel better. I think it is butiful to see such devoshun on the part of a husband nowadays, sed Ma.

There are many butiful things about my nater, sed Pa. No wonder you adder-mire me, sed Pa to Ma. I don't blame you not a bit, sed Pa.

Wen I grow up I will marry a lady that will live to be a old white haired companyun of my dee-klining yeers, sed me to Pa & Ma.

Ware did you g.t that line, Bobbie? said Pa.

Nevver mind ware I got that line, I sed. You herd me, dident you, I sed.

See here, young man, sed Pa, if you ever speek that way to me agavn I will spank you good & plenty, sed Pa.

I think this is a funny world, wifes can leeve thare husbands & husbands can leeve their wives, but if a littel boy leeves his father wen he gits spanked the littel boy will git hungry & have to cum back hoam & git spanked sum moar, it is a tuff world for littel boys, I will end this rite now.

IT'S TOUGH WHEN

YOU'VE had your fine Plymouth prize hen on a setting of eggs three weeks, and just when you are figuring on how many you will get out of the hatching the henhouse catches fire and she has to leave the nest.

You have let your accident insurance lapse because, for twenty years you have had nothing happen to you, and then you get knocked for a block by a fretful flivver and are laid up for a month and lose your salary.

You invite a friend to drop in for a taste of your newest jug of moisture and he brings in a quintet and they ruin it in one evening.

You pass a stichting remark about a sad faced female as you are walking in town with a pupil art and it turns out that the lady is his fiancee.

The typewriter you have lugged all the way home after paying $3 to have it repaired slips from your grasp as you hit an icy spot on the sidewalk and is reduced to a lot of loose springs rambling figures and a caved-in frame.

SO THIS IS MARRIED LIFE — Discord in a Flat — By Zere

STRANGE, THE DIFFERENT WAYS OF MAKING A LIVING! HOW COME YOU TO PICK THE PIANO TUNING GAME?
FEW PEOPLE REALIZE THE IMPORTANT PART A PIANO TUNER PLAYS IN OUR FRANTIC PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS, SIR" FOR INSTANCE —
THINK OF THE MILLIONS OF PIANOS OUT OF TUNE IN THE HOUSE HOLDS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD! ONE FALSE KEY IN THE FAMILY PIANO IS ENOUGH TO DISTURB THE HARMONY OF DOMESTIC LIFE FOR ALL TIME! THE EFFECT OF A FLAT ON SOUR NOTE ON THE NERVOUS SYSTEM IS WELL KNOWN-
WISE MEN FOR YEARS HAVE TRIED TO DISCOVER WHAT CAUSES DIVORCE' LET 'EM WEED OUT COUNTLESS TIN PAN SOUNDING UPRIGHTS AND BABY GRANDS AND PUT THEM IN TUNE - AND DISCORD IN THE HOME WILL BE ELIMINATED! YOUR PIANO IS NOW IN GOOD SHAPE, JUST WATCH THE EFFECT ON YOUR HOME LIFE'
WHAT IF I DID EXCHANGE A FEW WORDS WITH THE PIANO TUNER, I WELCOME TIME CHANCE TO TALK TO ANYBODY STUCK IN THE HOUSE ALL THE TIME."
HE WAS HERE TO WORK, NOT ON A SOCIAL CALL!" IF HE CHARGES BY THE HOUR, WE'LL HAVE A LOVELY BILL-

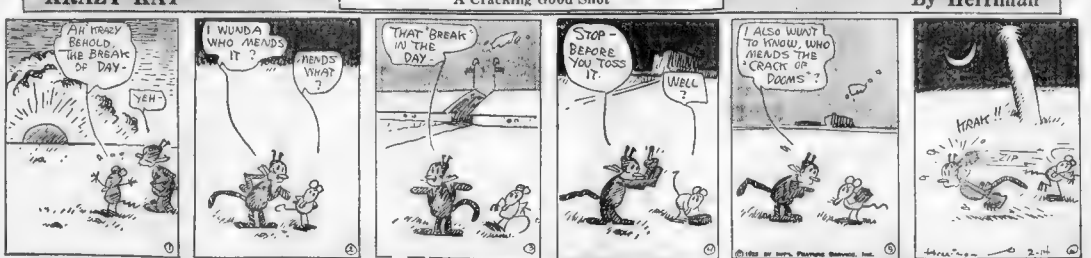
STUMBLE INN — War Clouds Are Gathering — By Herriman

A MESSAGE FROM MY HANDY, "CHARLIE RICHITTS OF THE MANSION HOUSE" WHAT DOES IT SAY "IDA"?
IT SAYS, AM UNABLE TO COME TO YOU IN PERSON WITH OFFER OF "PEACE" OR WAR" - SO I AM SENDING A REPRESENTATIVE.
"REPRESENTATIVE" HUM? SOME HIRED THUG MORE LIKELY, SOME BANDIT TO CRUSH ME, TO COMMIT MAYHEM & MASSACRE UPON MY PERSON - WELL, I'LL BE OUT WHEN HE COMES! I'M AS WISE AS "CHARLIE RICHITTS" ANY DAY - - - WISER.
GOOD, I'LL BE YOUR REPRESENTATIVE AND MEET HIS REPRESENTATIVE - HE'LL NOT DARE GET SASSY WITH A LADY -
SO, YOURE MR RICHITTS REPRESENTATIVE? HEY? WELL, AS MR. STUMBLE'S REPRESENTATIVE I SAY ON WITH THE WAR
OH, DEAR, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN SO DIFFERENT HAD I SEEN MR. STUMBLE PERSONALLY -
AND WHATS MORE THERE'S LIABLE TO BE WAR HERE TOO - YOU PIRATE

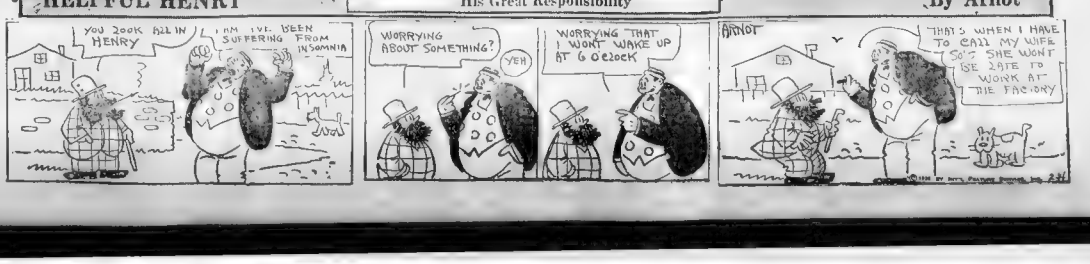
JERRY ON THE JOB — There Is a Solution of Every Problem — By Hoban

ALL OUR SHOPPERS ARE SQUAWKING THEIR HEADS OFF BECAUSE OUR FREIGHT TRAINS ARE SO SLOW - I WISH I KNEW WHAT TO DO - -
IS THAT WHAT YOU WISH?
SAY, MR THROTTLE, HOW'S CHANCES OF RUNNING YOUR LOCOMOTIVE QUICKER?
NO CHANCE - FULL SPEED AS FAST AS IT'LL GO.
NEVER MIND TO GIVE UP ONCE I SET MY MIND ON A THING - THAT'S WHAT I HOPE.
WILL YOU GENTS DO THIS RAILROAD A FAVOR AND STOP DRAGGING YOUR FEET WHILE THE TRAIN IS IN MOTION?
EXIT ONLY

KRAZY KAT — A Cracking Good Shot — By Herriman


AH KRAZY BEHOLD THE BREAK OF DAY-
YEH-
I WUNDA WHO MENDS IT?
MENDS WHAT?
THAT BREAK IN THE DAY-
STOP - BEFORE YOU TOSS IT-
WELL?
I ALSO WUNT TO KNOW, WHO MENDS THE CRACK OF DOOMS?
KRAK!!
ZIP

HELPFUL HENRY — His Great Responsibility — By Arnot


YOU LOOK ALL IN HENRY
I AM IVE BEEN SUFFERING FROM INSOMNIA
WORRYING ABOUT SOMETHING?
YEH
WORRYING THAT I WONT WAKE UP AT 6 O'CLOCK
ARNOT
THATS WHEN I HAVE TO CALL MY WIFE SO SHE WONT LOSE DATE TO WORK AT THE FACTORY

Medbury Says—

By John P. Medbury

A PROMINENT Washington [illegible] has come out with a suggestion that the only way to make [illegible] country dry is to give the people all they want to drink.

PROHIBITION will be a success as soon as we don't have it any more.

ORDER the people to drink and they'll go out of their way to [illegible] by leaving liquor alone.

THOUSANDS of American citizens never drank a drop in their lives until he told them they couldn't.

THEY wanted to show their neighbors that this was a free country even if they had to go to jail for six months to prove it.

YOU can lock their bodies up, but their spirits will still be in the cellar.

WE should have an 19th amendment making it against the law for the people to obey the 18th one.

WE'VE got thousands of prohibition agents watching us but we haven't got anybody watching them.

IF we don't look out they will drink up all the liquor in the country before we have a chance to repeal the Volstead act.

BOOZE is easy to get when it's against the law to drink it, but it will be hard to find when it's all right for us to have it.

IF the government closes up the prohibition offices nobody will know where to get any whiskey.

THE prohibition squad locates a lot of liquor and then the Department of Justice men go out and drink it.

WHY shouldn't they? Just because they wear badges that's no sign they don't get thirsty.

A NICKEL star doesn't heal a parched throat.

EVERY time they want a drink they just visit some bootlegger. They don't call them bootleggers, however; they refer to them as [illegible] dealers.

A WISE bootlegger will never give a Federal agent too much to drink. If a prohibition officer gets too intoxicated he's liable to forget what he's doing and raid the place.

OF COURSE there's an excuse for him because a man is apt to do anything while he's under the influence of liquor.

PEOPLE will continue to drink in public and in their own homes until the government tells them that they're not breaking the law and then they'll quit.

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GIVING THE OTHER FELLOW A LIFT.

Why not give some worthy men you know a chance to enjoy some of the prosperity you are experiencing?

You may be an employer, with a business that is bringing in more money than you will ever need to meet your wants.

Why not let some of your deserving employes become stockholders in your concern so they may enjoy some of the profits you are making?

Why not make it possible for these men to procure the stock on a payment plan they can meet?

Would it not be better for you to do that than to leave for relatives to fight over, a large sum, which is likely to do only a few real good and because of the large amount they get may be harmful rather than beneficial to them?

You may have a plan by which several other worth while men might increase their incomes.

Why are not you generous enough and big enough and human enough to give them the advice which will put them in the way of making more money?

There is a whole lot of good you might do in the world if you would.

Why don't you do it?

BELIEVE IT?

On February 8, 1812, a fat woman walked through a Philadelphia trolley car without falling all over the other passengers.

On August 12, 1481, a St. Louis man ordered a piano on part-time payments, and managed to meet all the instalments promptly.

On May 7, 1950, the head of a big New York firm gave each of his stenographers a dozen packs of chewing gum.

Gone to Pieces.

Dumb—Poor Mrs. Smith is all broken up on account of that automobile accident yesterday.

Bell—Was her husband in it?

Dumb—No; she was.

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This Day in History, February 14, 1923

THIS is the anniversary of the battle of Cape St. Vincent, in 1797, when a British fleet, under Admiral Jarvis, with fifteen men of war, defeated the Spaniards, with twenty-seven; due, largely, to the genius of Nelson.

The Brightest Star We See

SIRIUS, the stellar god or goddess of ancient Egypt, now shines on our meridian at 9 o'clock. No other star compares with him in brightness, yet Rigel, northwest of him, is said by astronomers to be 13,000 times as great.

WHEN A GIRL MARRIES

Anne Undertook the Herculean Task of Making Jeanie Understand That Betty Would Never Go Back to Live With Her

By Ann Lisle

"WILL you take me into your private office, Anne?"

"I'm just going to lunch. Can't Miss Mac to-day? I'll..."

...Lunch

...venely ... harry and let you have the place to yourself."

She was ... Mrs. Grain of dish self-pity and spoke in a frightened, apologetic manner which I resented having called up. I smiled at her encouragingly, but dared do more, for I sensed that Virginia and I were about to come to ... fight that would not be ... definite antagonism. ... this subtlety in matter well ... it was a ... Virginia ... brow down upon me with a ... We were alone. Her first words ... tonished me.

"Since I'm a woman your partner I suppose I'll ask though that you two would have your hands full. Don't you need assistance?"

"We have no place in an office but in a dark corner," I said dryly. Then gently myself for the fray, I added: "And I'm ... ching a perfect guide. Run to come in and learn the business."

"Splendid," cried Virginia. "This is the best idea we've ... had since dear Betty ... I'll be willing to make her think ... ing done for her, isn't she?" I suggested. "She'll come because I say so. But I think she'd ... say because she'll find work filling her mind and driving out the agony of remembering and remembering all the time."

"That's make good," commented Virginia. Betty is the sort of woman to make a go of anything she gets interested in. But there's only one problem. She can't live alone. You can't put up stakes and have Carlotta Burgess go to her. Pat and I have talked that over. He feels that, you owe Carlotta something for ... No, we're counting on you to ... and to get Betty and to make Betty see ... that she can't run for her ... to come back to us. I'm sure she would be grateful to me for ... making it ... after she ... was found ...

Betty won't come back to us," Jeanie ... I said gently ... with a weary ... of the ... ...ea as task of making this clear. ... She needs to be in her own home. She requires the surroundings that were hers before she married Terry. She needs love and companionship. I think she can take from a lonely person but ... from two happy ones whose contentment with each other constantly reminds her."

"There is more in it than that" said Virginia shrewdly. "You're ... genuine fear of Carlotta. ... know how much Pat and I admire her. You would never slight her unless there were some big reason for your actions. Fond as you are of Betty, you would scarcely feel that you'd done your full duty by her in giving her a chance in your office. Are you basing the Sturgis home—to arouse sympathy for Carlotta?"

"I wouldn't say that—" I began, hedging uneasily.

"Are you trying to get Betty out of the realm of the stage?" persisted Virginia.

"Please," I protested.

But leaning forward and fixing her eyes on mine with ... was ... ...ensed me. Virginia self ...

"Don't you ... love Betty, Anne? Well ... we won't ... ...fore. But I think it's going to ... ...on ... a friendship. And I ... ...for bring her the happiness you're hoping to give her. Have you ... about your belief and made up your mind about the debit and credit side?"

"Yes, Virginia," I acknowledged. "But I ... mean to send ... very ... have been a ... of ... ...ation ... for ... time."

Virginia got to her ... and took my hands in ... She laughed ... ...dish as she cried:

Anne Harrison ... you're a brick! When the day comes for you to fight for your own ... happiness—count on me. Good-bye, dear."

Her exit was so hasty it left me breathless. But I knew that for a long time to come I will carry with me ... memory of ... tenderness.

Why should Virginia suggest that I may have to fight for my happiness?

Before I left the office to do my ... I telephoned Betty. She ... ...d me she would just ... ...ed her breakfast and lunch in bed and was ... ...ening up a few ... ...ds for the ... ...

When will I see you here, Anne?" she asked with a faint ... ...ing in her voice. ... ...nothing short of panic.

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To Be Continued Tomorrow.

My Valentine

DRAWN BY NELL BRINKLEY

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HERE is my Valentine—I make her ... face fit into your heart." Many a ... heart looks this way on the good ... Valentines Day out of it ... eyes and a ... that you with another sort of ... and a single ... of years ... ...ar ... heart with a bubbling ... that all ... e's over and are the very ... and smile of the face that ... launched a thousand ships" to him

Says the ... Oh, lovers! ... the ... of your neck hair and the point of your little chin are ... fashion that they just fit in my heart ... So do I prove that you are ... my ... there is no quarrel about it.

—NELL BRINKLEY

WHAT CAN YOU GIVE?

—By Beatrice Fairfax—

Who Occupies a Unique Position in the Writing World as an Author ity on the Problems of Girls.

A WONDERFUL woman to ... me a little tale the other day which ... too exquisite to hide away. So I am passing it on to others for whom it may have a message.

Once this woman was going through a period of discouragement and struggle. She felt poor and alone. She seemed to be getting nothing from life and to have nothing to bring to life. At the moment of her greatest depression she chanced to be walking up Fifth avenue. She came to a corner where there was a florist shop. And out on the sidewalk in front of the shop there was a display of hyacinths.

Idly, and almost resentfully, the woman stopped and looked at the plants. Scornfully she asked of them

"You stupid things, what have you to give to the world? There you stand all pranked out in colors and not doing a thing."

And then, in an illuminating wave, vision came to her. The hyacinths weren't ... about what they had to give. They were not ... ...ive ... ...ing and ... ...ng. ... ...weren't complaining. ... ...ey didn't happen to be ... ...ecial beauties or orchids. ... ...were just being hyacinths. ... ...ey were giving off color and ... ...erfume. Perfume was their contribution to the world, and perfume was what they were giving.

The hyacinths didn't even know there were giving off perfume. But there it was, because the Creator had endowed them with it. And that ... ...ft ... ...given ... ...ing. ... ...and ... ...unconsciously was ... ...ving ... ...passed by.

"If we ... ...ere only think of better of it," said herself. She first ... ...ing ... ...unconsciously ... ...ift ... ...a ... ...to passers-by as the hyacinths had given their ... ...something. Perhaps she ... ...ped ... ...untily and gave ... ...ome ... ...ressly. There was a glow of exercise in her cheeks ... ...and ... ...ough ... ...ourse ... ...and discouraged soul!

FOUNDATION OF HEALTH

—By Brice Belden, M. D.—

ALL the books and all the talks ... ...ency have as their chief ... ...the ... ...and ... ...self control. The psychological principles having to do with self control are the key to health and happiness.

It is the mind and nervous system ... ...ten ... ...ds upon which all things depend.

Now the matter of self-control ... ...with ... ...child. This sort of training should begin in infancy. The first steps are ... ...regularity as ... ...gards feeding and training with respect to sleeping.

If a child ... ...s out that he can get what he wants by crying at ... ...ons of temper, his self control will have been seriously undermined right at the start. It's life. Children should not have whatever their desires ... ...ves ... ...show control of their emotions and make polite requests.

If the habit of emotional outbursts ... ...ntinued in adult circumstances they will be ... ...a ... ...ntrol ... ...remain ... ...ve ... ...ter life. If proper ... ...ing in this regard is delayed it will be very difficult to establish self control after the first situations will be laid for nervous troubles in adult life.

Obedience must not be encouraged in children, as it will make it difficult for them to adjust themselves to life as their proper older, and the social friction increases. And they must be taught to bear their discomforts and other trials with fortitude. Instead of being taught to evade such incidents of life, they must be made to see them as interesting experiences.

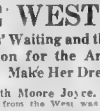
THE WESTERN TRAIN

Two Years' Waiting and the Haunting of the Railroad Station for the Arrival Which Was to Make Her Dreams Come True

By Elizabeth Moore Joyce.

THE train from the West was late. For hours Katherine had been haunting the railroad station.

It had been in reality over two years that Katherine had been waiting for the train which was to bring Philip Algar back to her and make possible at last the fulfillment of their dreams. Philip had been sent West by the firm that employed him on a difficult engineering expedition.



Waiting for the Train

He had urged Katherine to go with him but she refused. Now after two years she was waiting for his return.

Her heart as lead, she left the station and went to a hotel across the street. Away back in a corner of the parlor she sank down on a big sofa and closed her eyes.

Rustle of Silk

A soft rustle of silk and a breath of a delicate perfume caused her to open them presently and when she glanced up a young girl was seated beside her.

As she turned and caught Katherine's look she ... ...ed a spontaneous, happy smile that forced Katherine to ... ...ed.

"I hope I'm not intruding," she said. "I'm waiting for the train from the West."

"How ... strange!" exclaimed the other girl. "It's the train to the West I'm—I mean we're waiting for. It's to be wedding trip—I hope."

"Don't you know?" asked Katherine, sitting up with sudden interest.

The girl looked at her intently for a moment, then apparently satisfied with her scrutiny, she said:

"It's this way. I'll tell you about it. Bob and I—his whole name is Robert Terrell—are ... mine is Emily Hart—well, we've been engaged for oh, a long time—since way ... ...ter. ... The other day he had orders from his firm to go West for the Winter. We just can't be separated that long so I'm going with him. He's gone for the license and we're to be married before train time unless something prevents. But we haven't much time to spare."

"But your family," exclaimed Katherine. "Do they know?"

"I haven't any folks to speak of," Emily replied. "I've been living—no, it was just ... ...with some quite distant cousins and was afraid they might try to interfere."

Suddenly Katherine laid her hand on the other girl's arm and her eyes overflowed.

"If I only—had had the courage and faith two years ago!" she said. "Then I wouldn't be here now waiting for Philip with two dreary years behind us both."

Drawn together by the similarity of their positions, the two girls talked together, exchanging confidences almost like old friends. Then suddenly Emily darted away, returning in a moment with a handsome boy who looked as if he was not afraid of anything except losing skeit of Emily.

"I am going to ask if you will go with us to the church," Emily said to Katherine. "It seems as if I have known you a long time. We have so much in common."

And Katherine gladly consented.

Two hours later when the train for the West pulled out bearing away the bride and groom.

Katherine was still standing by the gate looking after it, her face reflecting the solemnity and joy of the scene to which she had just been such an unexpected witness when at last the long overdue train from the West pulled in.

Glanced Eagerly.

Away down the long platform she glanced eagerly as the incoming passengers approached. Then suddenly Philip was beside her ... the same dear old Philip with no reproach in his eyes, only the same longing that had been there when he went away intensified by the long separation.

"It has been so long, so long, Katherine," he said presently, "and I have wanted you so. Need it be much longer that I must wait?"

"No longer than you wish, Philip," she answered him.

"Tomorrow then, Katherine. No, tomorrow never comes. Can it be ... ...today, sweetheart?"

"Yes, Philip—today."

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2—When was Thomas Monroe President of the United States?

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5—When did Peary discover the North Pole?

ANSWERS
To Yesterday's Questions.

1—Robert Fulton. Mrs. Hannah's novel was published in 1888.

2—The city of Manila in the Philippine Islands was taken by American troops on Aug. 13, 1898.

3—Pope Pius was exiled to England in 1...

4—Cotton ... was ... ...ced ... 1492 ... Columbus ... plain.

5—The Battle of Princeton in the Revolutionary War, took place January 3 ...

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

A very toothsome vegetable soup is all the better for having its vegetables minced beforehand Prepare two pounds of carrots, two of onions and two of turnips in this way, add three pints of stock or water, a packet of soup powder, seasoning to taste and, if liked, a pound of well-soaked butter beans. The latter, of course, make the soup much more of a meal Let the whole simmer for at least two hours, when the result should be a deliciously smooth, tasty soup.

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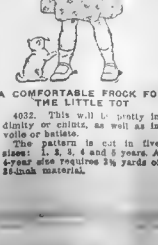

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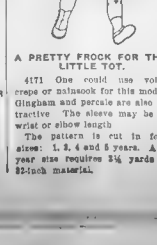

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A PRETTY FROCK FOR THE LITTLE TOT.

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ETIQUETTE POINTERS

—By Ann Adams—

DEAR MISS ADAMS

Will you kindly advise me what is considered the bride's share in furnishing the home? We are to have a seven room house. Also will you kindly let me know whether I am expected to ask my new relatives to dinner after the ceremony?

L. L.

The bride usually furnishes the linens for her home. It is the husband's duty to provide the remaining furnishings. Odd bits of decoration are usually given as wedding gifts by friends of the bride. It is the privilege of your mother or guardian to arrange a repast of some sort for the members of the bridal party, including the parents of the groom. The time of day will indicate whether the meal be for a breakfast, luncheon, dinner or supper.

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THREE-MINUTE TRIPS

WHERE WIVES ARE BOUGHT

By Temple Manning.

CURIOUS stories are brought out of Central Africa by explorers of peculiar customs and characteristics of the primitive tribes of the Kikuyu country But none is more interesting than those concerning "marrying and giving in marriage."

However, "giving in marriage"

He Pays a Small Initial Sum

is not quite accurate. Because in this wild place commercialism figures prominently.

The headmen of the tribes have absolute authority and possession over the women. They parcel them out for marriage as they see fit—and if the price offered for these black beauties suits their majesties.

For in this community, wives are sold. And strange to relate, the war has affected the price of wives even in this far-off corner of the globe.

Before the war a perfectly good hard working wife could be bought for four shillings. But, like everything else, their price has gone up amazingly. Now it costs 25 shillings to purchase the same kind of a wife

Naturally this "high cost of living" has discouraged many young Kikesmen who would prefer to live in the wedded state, but are forced to remain bachelors for the simple reason they haven't the price of a wife

One chief actually established a system whereby a man desiring a wife could pay a small initial sum and then ... the remainder of the cost in weekly payments—for all the world like our installment plan of "a dollar down and a dollar a week

DO YOU KNOW THAT—

Egyptian women are said to be exceedingly graceful in figure and pose, though not beautiful of face.

For a sewing machine costing about $40 here in London the price in Petrograd is 787,200,000 roubles

The manufacture of paper was an important industry in Japan as far back as the time of the Emperor Sulko, A. D. 593 629, the art having been introduced from China

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Sugar From Dahlias

LEVULOSE, a sugar made from the tuber of the dahlia, is exceptionally sweet and is said to be harmless to diabetics. Experts are co-operating in the development of its possibilities.

Magazine Page

World's Smallest Fish

PROBABLY the smallest fish in the world are to be found in the mountain lake Buhl, in Luzon, Philippines. This fish, which the natives call the smarapan, weighs only half a grain, and half an inch is its maximum length.

THE ENEMIES OF WOMEN By BLASCO IBANEZ

Start Here Today This Engrossing Story of Life and Love from the Master Pen of One of the World's Greatest Novelists

Before the Duchess de Delille Colonel Marcos hands the duelling swords to the prince

THE STORY TO DATE

Prince Michael Fedor, a Russian of fabulous wealth, is at Monte Carlo while the great war is on. With him is his friend, Attilo Castro, and other acquaintances. The prince, on returning to Villa Siresa, finds everything changed owing to the war. He announces, to the amazement of his hearers, that he is ruined. Castro smilingly remarks that he would be content with one-tenth of the remains. The Prince proposes that Castro and a few of their friends live together with the proviso that no women shall enter their lives. They will be known as "The Enemies of Women." Castro tells the Prince he has seen the Duchess de Delille. The Prince says he will not receive her. The story reverts to the marriage of the Prince's father and mother and the son's early training. His father dies and his mother marries again. Her new sister-in-law has a small daughter, Alicia. They come to Paris to live. Alicia fights with Michael, who returns to Russia and takes up military training, but is exiled on account of his wild actions. He returns to Paris and meets Alicia.

By Vicente Blasco Ibanez.
Author of "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" and Other Novels of World Renown.

THE Prince himself would take charge of the artistic touches in due time, placing some famous picture, a statue, tapestry, or a rug, just where it would be most pleasing to the eye.

It was even easier for Prince Michael to make a swift change in his wandering ocean residence. He sold his yacht Gaviota, which reminded him of his youthful dependence on his family and, attracted by an advertisement went to the United States for another. A certain multimillionaire three years before had begun the construction of a yacht, which was to be more luxurious and of greater tonnage than that of any European sovereign.

When the American was about to witness the consummation of this triumph of the democratic kings of industry over the historic kings of the Old World, he was killed in an automobile accident, and his heirs did not know what to do with this unfinished leviathan. They thought of offering it to the Kaiser, William II., and they had just made up their minds to accede to the demands of that sharp business man, when Prince Lubimoff disembarked at Hoboken. A week later the ship's white stern and bows displayed in golden letters a name, repeated on the life preservers and on the various minor boats, the whalehouts, the steam and gas launches, Gaviota II.

She had the tonnage of a small trans-Atlantic liner and the speed of a torpedo boat. Each day the wealth of an ordinary mortal escaped through her double funnels. If passage to some distant island exhausted the supply of coal, a freighter, chartered by the Prince, came to meet the Gaviota II. in the farthest seas to fill her bunkers with fuel.

A Floating Palace.

Quiet harbors were illuminated at night, as though the sun had risen. When the Prince gave a fete the ship stood out from the water line to the mastheads, delineated with electric bulbs of various shades, while powerful searchlights shot out movable streams of light, drawing from the depths of darkness the waves, the shores, and rows of city houses.

At other times the white fire of the monotonous rays flashed on lofty walls of ice lost in utter darkness, and on penguins, seals and polar bears sleeping in peace, frightened by the luminous puffing monster, that darted off like lightning into the mystery of night.

To be the owner of a floating palace which in anchoring opposite cities awakened the thrill that rare sights always give, was not enough for Michael Fedor. So he had created something more interesting even than the luxurious salons and the refinements of comfort of the Gaviota II.: his marine orchestra.

Sensuous delight in music was for him the most exquisite of emotions. His ear satiated with the sweetness and melody of traditional music, he sought unknown and often bizarre composers, who aroused his curiosity; but he always came back to demanding as the pieces de resistance of his harmonic feasts, the masters who had been his first love, and above all Beethoven.

Treated as though they were officers, paid to their liking, with the added inducement of travel, musicians came from every country to joint the yacht's orchestra. Famous concert players and young composers signed contracts as mere performers. Some sought to regain their health in a voyage around the world in real luxury and without expense; others embarked through love of adventure, to see new lands from this wandering palace in which everything seemed organized for an eternal fiesta. There were never less than fifty of these wandering minstrels aboard.

"My orchestra is the finest in the world," the Prince would proudly say when complimented after one of the few concerts which his musicians gave on land.

In tropical nights, beneath the enormous honey-colored moon changing the sea to a vast plain of quicksilver, the musicians, in evening clothes, seated before the rows of music racks illuminated by tiny electric lights, would weave in the quiet air, which seemed to have retained the first faint cries of the planet at its birth, the most original melodies, the most subtle combinations of sounds that the sublime rapture of the artist in godlike inspiration ever created. The music floated out behind the boat in the mystery of the ocean, like a scarf unfolding, breaking, and being lost in fragments, with the smoke from the funnels.

When the orchestra paused one could hear the dull distant turning of the propellers churning the foam with a humming sound, and then from time to time the slow tolling of the bell calling the men on watch, or the cry of the lookout smuggled into the crow's nest on the mainmast, reporting his vigilance with the rhythmic intimation of a museum faintly visible on a minaret. And the monotonous music of the sea gave an impression of might, immensity and mystery to the music of man.

In Regal State

At the foot of the companionways, or on the outjutting parts of the lower decks, the various officers and officials of the Prince gathered to hear the concert in the night. On the prow the sailors squatted listening in religious silence, as is often the case with simple men, confronted with something which they do not understand, but which inspires awe. Aft, the only listener was Michael Fedor, at a distance from the musicians, and with his back to them, watching at his feet the divided, foaming waters which rushed by like a double river at a distance from the boat. As he raised his cigar to his lips for a moment his pensive features would appear from the shadows, with a red glow.

The yacht held another more silent group. Those who succeeded in getting on board in the ports always obtained a distant glimpse of women with white shoes, blue skirts, jackets with rows of gold buttons, masculine collars and neckties and officers' caps. No one knew for certain how many there were. The men of the crew were forbidden to go amidships or on the upper deck. But some of them, forgetting and breaking the rule, had met the Prince's companions more lightly clad than when they wore their elegant naval uniforms, or had seen them dressed in elaborate and exotic costumes like dancers at the opera. At the large ports, steam launches took the beautiful travelers ashore, dressed with modest elegance and speaking various languages.

Where Fancy Willed

Some years Michael Fedor suspended his travels, during the Summer, to take up his abode at fashionable beaches. Sometimes the women who accompanied him on his long voyages remained on board, with all the comforts and lavishment to which they were accustomed. At other times he parted with them, as one dismisses a crew when a ship goes out of commission, at the end of a voyage.

Immediately he became interested in women living stay-at-home lives, society on land, Summer flirtations at famous watering places, and took up his abode at a hotel on the coast, while his yacht was to be seen rising from the azure waters, motionless, like a palace of mystery and magnificence, the centre of all feminine imaginings.

Living in Biarritz, he had come to know Attilo Castro intimately through morning visits, which he related on his father's side. The Spaniard admired the fascination exercised by the Prince on all women, often without meaning to do so. Never at any period had women been more strongly attracted by luxury and less scruples in obtaining it. This was the opinion of Castro.

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To Be Continued Tomorrow.

WATER ON THE EARTH

By GARRETT P. SERVISS

Eminent Astronomer and Authority on Subjects of Scientific Interest.

"What has become of the much greater quantity of water on the earth when the sandy sea and lake shores were formed, and when, according to other evidences, there was a much higher water level than at present?—C. I. A., Dayton.

THERE is no evidence that the oceans formerly contained more water than they contain at the present time. On the contrary, it is the belief of modern geologists that the volume of the oceans has increased throughout geologic time. At present the rate of increase is very slight, perhaps imperceptible, but in the earlier geologic ages it was relatively rapid.

According to Professor Charles Schuchert, the greatest amount of water was added to the ocean "during the latter part of the long growing period of the earth, and during the Archeozoic era, when from 25 to 50 per cent. of the present volume is believed to have come into existence. The rest has been added during subsequent geologic time."

The causes of the coming into existence of ocean water are thus described by Professor Schuchert: "There was a time when the earth was too small in mass to hold a hydrosphere, the envelope of water that lies beneath the atmosphere and above the rocky surface of the planet. As the earth grew in size it became more and more possible for it to have standing bodies of water and clouds of water vapor floating with the winds in the atmosphere. All of this water, the newer geology thinks, came forth out of the earth itself through volcanic activity and thermal springs."

This is based on Chamberlain's "planetesimal theory," according to which the earth grew by the falling together of small bodies called planetesimals.

The higher water level existing on the shores of some of the continents in former times was due, not to a greater volume of water in the oceanic basins, but to a relative lowering of the land. The internal cooling and shrinking of the earth brings about "crustal readjustments."

When the continents are highest and largest the oceans are smallest in area, but not in volume or quantity of water. You will find interesting details on this subject in the Yale University book called "The Evolution of the Earth."

For instance, Schuchert says, with reference to the periodical spreading of the oceans: "It has been stated that when the earth shrinks the land rises in relation to the strand line and that this is especially true at the times of major crustal alterations. It is now definitely known that at the close of all the eras the continents were largest and at some of these times were even larger than they are now. On the other hand, the present oceans are more than full and for some time have been spilling over the outer edges of the continental platforms, apparently to the extent of nearly ten million square miles, or about 5 per cent. of the earth's surface."

DAILY HOROSCOPE

Mary Blake Says:

Today Lucky if You Are Not STUBBORN

ST. VALENTINE'S Day—Unusually the day for affairs of love only. If yesterday you did not obtain your heart's desire, you surely will this day.

Be not discouraged—love will find a way.

Above all things, don't be stubborn today. Great joy and happiness are on your threshold. Don't slam the door in their faces. You will always regret it.

A most uncertain day. Tomorrow's papers will record many accidents that will occur today. Be careful. Avoid fast driving, riding in public conveyances and crossing streets except at corners. You don't want your name mentioned among the injured.

Exercise the greatest care and caution in all matters. Control yourself. No matter how great the temptation may be to lose your temper. Remember the man who controls himself wins out.

Aquarius people are frequently abrupt and hot-headed and are likely to say more than is good for them. They are honest and straight-forward, take readily to strangers, for whom they conceive sudden likes and dislikes, as they are great readers of character.

Their eyes are usually grey-blue, with a calm steadfastness in their glance—and have an extraordinary hypnotic power.

They have been called "the windows of the soul."

(Watch for to-morrow's possibilities.)

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GOOD NIGHT STORIES

Be Sure to Read Them to Your Children

By Blanche Silver

Betty's Trip With Gocomeback.

OH, dear!" Betty exclaimed, when she saw the dress her mama had laid out on the bed for her to put on. "I just hate that old white dress. I've worn it and worn it and worn it! I'm tired and sick of the sight of it."

"Tut, tut, tut!" laughed a merry voice, and Gocomeback, the little travel elfin, hopped through the open window down beside Betty. "What's wrong now?"

"Oh, I don't want to put on that old dress," replied Betty, "I've worn it until I'm sick of the sight of it."

Gocomeback picked up the little white dress and turned it over.

"Why, I think that's a pretty dress," he mused. "It's beautiful Irish linen, I do believe."

"Of course it is," laughed Betty. "It never would have lasted had it been anything else besides linen. I just hate Irish linen."

"My goodness! You wouldn't say that if you could see what trouble it is to get the linen ready for the market," Gocomeback said sadly. "I'm sure if little girls only knew what hard work it is to make linen for their dresses they would be more careful of it. That reminds me. My little friend, Kathleen, has invited me to her house. Suppose we take a run over there before you get dressed."

That pleased Betty immensely, and before she had time to ask where Kathleen lived, Gocomeback caught hold of her hand and away they sailed over the mountains and seas to Ireland.

Little Kathleen spied the tiny elfin and Betty, and came running out to greet them.

"I was on my way to the flax fields," she said, "Do come along with me. It won't take long." And laughing merrily, she trotted across the meadows to the great, waving flax fields.

Betty and Gocomeback followed, close at her side. Betty wondered what could be taking her to the flax fields.

The field was full of men, women and children, gathering the grain.

Betty was astonished to find that instead of cutting it down like they do in America, every plant was torn up by the roots.

"Why do they go to all that trouble?" she asked Kathleen. "I should think it would be easier to cut it down."

"Oh! Then we would lose the roots," replied Kathleen. "And that's the part they make linen from. You see, the seeds have to be picked out first. The roots are placed in water, then dried out and dried in the sun. After they have dried enough the fibres

"What's Wrong Now?"

are pulled off and used to make into linen. Grandmother has a spinning-wheel with which she spins lovely linen. Of course, spinning-wheels used to do all the work, but now they have machinery. But grandmother loves to spin, and still makes the linen for my dresses. Do you like linen dresses?"

"Well, I didn't care for them," Betty hesitated, "but I believe I'll like them better now since I know how linen is made."

Just then Betty and Gocomeback bade Kathleen good by and hurried home.

Without a word, Betty put on her little Irish linen dress and had you happened to pass by just then you might have heard her telling her little friends the tale I have just told you. That's how I happened to hear the story.

Another fine story tomorrow.

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A RHYMING OPTIMIST

—By Aline Michaelis—

The Valentine

I FOUND a valentine last night
I tricked out in blue and red,
With Cupid gay and garlands bright the verse was hidden out of sight, but this is what it said:
"I want to be your valentine; oh, do not say me nay! And may your path, O Heart or Mine be always where the roses twine and where the sunbeams stray!" Oh, tender little valentine that came so long ago, as brightly still your colors shine as when that old sweetheart of mine loved me and told me so! The years are many since that day that brought this verse to me: life's rose and cold have turned to gray, and twilight shadows dim the way whence birds and flowers flee. But still the message rings as true as when so long ago, it came like roses drenched in dew, like cloudless skies of smiling blue; she loved and told me so! No later valentine I've had has ever cheered my heart like this, from little lass to lad, which left me all amazed and glad, pierced through by Cupid's dart. For other loves have bloomed and died like buds whose day is brief; but this love bavers at my side through changing wind and shifting tide, through pain and joy and grief! This little love I know is mine beyond life's passing breath: I feel its tender tendrilla twine, I see its star-bright glories shine, still mine through life and death. And so I fold the missive gay in lavender and rose, this valentine that marks the day she loved and laughed and stole away to sleep's sweet garden-close!

WHO SAID IT AND WHERE

"No Spartan woman has ever seen the smoke of the enemy's camp."

Proudly declared King Agesilaus II. of Sparta (398-361 B. C.).

"Eaten bread is soon forgotten."

This commentary on ingratitude is an old Italian proverb.

"A book's a book although there's nothing in it."

Remarked Lord Byron in a poem, "English Bards and Scotch Reviewers," in which he pays his respects to critics in general.

"Death rides on every passing breeze."

The presence of reminders of death everywhere about us led the poet, Reginald Heber (1783-1826), to pen the above.

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BEST RECIPES

New England housewives are requested to send in recipes for appetizing dishes. One dollar will be sent each winner printed here. Address Recipe Editor, Boston American 8, Boston, Mass.

Valentine Club Sandwiches

Loaf of day old bread, ½ cup mayonnaise, 2 cream cheese, head of lettuce or shredded cabbage, ¼ cup butter, small can pimentoes, ½ cup chopped walnuts or pecans, salt, paprika. Slightly butter bread before cutting each thin slice. Spread 1 slice with the pimentoes rubbed smooth with paprika and salt, and the other slice with the cream cheese mixed with the chopped nuts. Dip the lettuce leaves in the mayonnaise and lay over the pimento slice, then lay cheese slice on top. Press slightly together, trim off crusts and cut in oblongs. Fasten together with a wooden toothpick on which a little scarlet pepper heart has been fastened by means of slits through which the top of the toothpick is run. The date of the entertainment may be put on the hearts.

MISS AVIS SLOAN.

No. 82 Park street, Chelsea, Mass.

California Macaroons

One egg white, ½ cup seeded raisins, ¼ cup fine granulated sugar, 1 teaspoon vanilla. Beat whites of egg until stiff. Add sugar slowly, beating constantly; then add raisins and vanilla. Drop from the tip of a spoon on buttered sheet 1½ inches apart. Garnish each with ½ raisin and bake in a slow over from 12 to 15 minutes.

MARY G. HANNA.

No. 85 Park street, Chicopee, Mass.

Salmon Fritters

Pour the water off and mash 1 can salmon, add 2 eggs, well beaten together, pinch of salt and drop by spoonfuls in hot frying pan. Use very little fat. These are delicious.

MRS. R. LEARY.

No. 736 Broadway, South Boston, Mass.

COLDS

"Pape's Cold Compound" Breaks a Cold in Few Hours

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken. The first dose opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, feverishness, sneezing.

The second and third doses usually break up the cold and end all grippe misery.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. Tastes nice. Contains no quinine. Insist upon Pape's.

TELL THESE AT DINNER

"Do you mean to say," said the poetic young woman, "that you have never yet met the woman whose presence and touch thrilled your whole being in an utterly indescribable manner?" "Only once," said the weary young man. "It was when I was in the hands of a woman dentist."

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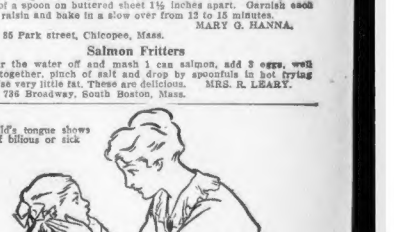
Old gentleman, looking over artist friend's house—"My sight gets worse and worse, my dear sir. Now, what have we here? Is it a picture or is it one of your paintings?"

Child's tongue shows if bilious or sick



GIVE "CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" —CHILD'S HARMLESS LAXATIVE

Even Cross, Bilious, Sick Children Love Its Taste and It Never Fails to Empty Little Systems

A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will quickly start liver and bowel action and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Fig Syrup" because it never fails to work the sour bile and constipation poison right out of the little stomach and bowels without cramping or overacting.

Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California." Refuse any imitation.

New York Market Turns Irregular and Quiet After Showing Initial Upward Tendency

AMERICAN CAN AT FRESH TOP FOR ALL TIME

New York market turned irregular and quiet after showing an initial upward tendency today. American Can lifted to a record top for all time. Money eased 1 per cent.

Baldwin yielded more than 2 points on profit-taking. Cuba Cane Sugar preferred sagged over 5 points and all sugars looked weak as speculators turned paper profits into cash.

Crucible gave way 1½, Lima Locomotive over a point and Studebaker a point. American Woolen dipped a point and American Locomotive more than a point.

Steel common duplicated the high on the move, 107¾, while North American reached a record high, 117¾.

Baldwin's recession was caused by [illegible] over the fact that [illegible] operations was [illegible] although this amount was [illegible] up to $19.03 a share by either income.

Oil, Tobacco and sugar shares also joined the upward movement, gains of one to three points being recorded by Houston Oil, United Cigar Stores, American Sumatra Tobacco and Punta Alegre Sugar. Federal Mining & Smelting preferred advanced two points in response to the higher dividend rate. Brooklyn Edison and American Can each gained one point.

Marine preferred dropped 1¼ points in reflection of speculative disappointment over the sidetracking of the ship subsidy bill by the United States Senate yesterday. Heaviness also was noted in Central Leather preferred and Studebaker.

Foreign exchanges opened easier, demand sterling fell below $4.85 and francs were quoted just above 6.60 cents. German marks continued to climb, being quoted at .00423¼ as compared with their recent extreme low of .0020 cents.

Eastern Steamship Hits New Boston Record High

Eastern steamship lifted to a new Boston record high today at 97½. Morgenthaler added 2 to 178 and American Agricultural Chemical preferred took on 1¾ at 62¾.

There were point increases in Mohawk, Boston Elevated and Calumet & Hecla. Packers were strong, all up fractionally. Lawa, a new issue, the list was unchanged and the rest irregular.

Coppers were lower. Copper Range, Osceola, New Cornelia and North Butte all selling a shade off.

Boston Notes

WALTHAM Watch warrants, now being traded in, are rights accruing to present common and preferred stockholders carrying the privilege of subscribing to new 7 per cent. prior preference cumulative stock and new 6 per cent. non-cumulative preferred. They expire March 12.

FRAMINGHAM will receive proposals until 1 p. m. February 19 for purchase of various 4 per cent. and 4½ per cent. common bonds aggregating $263,000, with maturities in each of years 1923 to 1951 inclusive.

W. F. G. HARDING, governor of Boston Federal Reserve bank, in speech before Boston Credit Men's Association, said general business conditions will remain good for several months at least, adding that while foreign situation is grave the general outlook is good.

CALUMET & Hecla, crossing and dipping under 300, was the most interesting brokerage rate difference. At 300 or more the charge was 50c a hundred shares; below 300, $20 a hundred.

ORIBANS Graded School District, Orleans, Vt., is offering $58,000 of 4½ per cent. coupon school bonds, dated February 15 and maturing in each of years 1923 to 1942, inclusive. Bids close at 2 p. m. February 15.

ATCHISON has applied for authority to acquire control by lease of Rio Grande, El Paso & Santa Fe.

LAKE shipments show copper buying of past few weeks has been heavier than expected.

CALUMET mines alone shipped around 10,000,000 lbs. of red metal in January most of which is per cent. of this going to Europe.

IN CALUMET'S January shipments of red metal were 1,000,000 lbs. to Dobeling Mill at Dollar Bay where it is to be drawn into fine wire.

DESPITE high ages at copper mines, workers are carrying on the usual seasonal migration and higher pay is likely to be offered to retain them in Lake district.

SENECA has opened well-mineralized rock in north side on 7th level and at times sensational values are reported by the miners in this lateral.

ARCADIAN Consolidated has made no unusual disclosures in last two weeks on either side of 1250-foot level, though showing at either end of drift is encouraging.

ADMEER'S January rock tonnage was heaviest since mine resumed operations last April and it comes within small margin of figure of midsummer in 1920.

COPPER Range mines are making slight gain in manpower through importation of labor. Openings are highly gratifying.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Best Comparative Daily Table Published in New England

1922 High.	1922 Low.	Stock and Div. Rate in $	Open.	High.	Low.	Latest.	Prev. Close
		Allied Packers (4)	72¾	73¼	72¼	72¾	72¾
60½	31½	Adv Rumely pf (3)	53½	53½	53½	53½	53½
		Ajax Rubber	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½
42¾	21¼	Am Ag Chem	25¾	25¾	25¼	25¼	25¼
95	57	Am Bank Note (4)	74	74	73	73½	
49	31½	Am Beet Sugar	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
76½	33½	Am Can (8)	91	91¼	90	91¼	89¾
7¼	4½	Am Druggist Syn	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
88	44	Am Hide & L. pf	72	73	72	73	73
87¾	34¾	Am International	29	29	29	29	28¾
42¾	28	Am Linseed	34	34	34	34	34
64½	52	Am Linseed pf	56	56	56	56	56
130½	112	Am Locomotive (8)	127	127	126¾	127	127
37¾	13¾	Am Metals (3)	33¾	34¼	33¾	34¼	33¾
179	97	Am Radiator (4)	140½	140½	140½	140½	140½
8¾	3¾	Am Saf Razor (2b1)	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
75¾	41¾	Am Shin & Com	19¾	19¾	19¾	20¼	19¾
67¾	43¾	Am Smelting & Ref	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾
117¾	85¾	Am Steel Fdrys (3)	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
85¾	44½	Am Sugar Refining	48¾	48¾	47¾	48¾	48¾
107¾	74¾	Am Tel & Tel (9)	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
108½	102½	Am Tobacco (11)	107½	107½	107½	107½	107½
103¾	73	Am Tob Cl B (12)	103¾	104	103¾	104	103¾
23½	8	Am W W & Elec	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
39¾	19¾	Am WW&E pref'd	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
37¾	23¾	Am Writing Pap pf	28¾	28¾	28¾	29½	
102	72¾	Am Woolen (7)	100¾	101¾	100¾	101¾	100¾
47	43	Anaconda Copper	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾
128½	99	Associated Oil (3)	129	129	129	130	
97¾	87	Atch T & S Fe (8)	91¾	92	91¾	92	92
8¾	4¼	Atlantic Fruit	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
31¾	23¾	Atlantic G & W L	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
142¾	82¾	Baldwin Loco (7)	138	138¾	136	136¾	138¾
87¾	33½	Balt & Ohio	32	32	32	32	32
40¾	20	Beech Nut Packg (2)	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
79	51	Bethlehem Steel (8)	52	52	52	52	52
88¾	58¾	Brooklyn Edison (8)	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
111¾	104	Beth Steel 8% pf (8)	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾	110¾
120½	100	Bklyn Edison pf (8)	117½	117½	117½	117½	117½
21¾	11¾	Bklyn Union Gas	15	15	14¾	14¾	14¾
84¾	54¾	Buff Sthe Ind pf (6)	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾
101¾	84	Burroughs Add Mch	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
101¾	84	Butte Cop & Z (2.50)	11¾	12	11¾	12	12
57¾	39¾	Butte & Superior (2)	42¾	43	42¾	43	43
82½	55½	Calumet & Ariz (3)	57	57	57	57	57
71¾	43¾	California Pet (7)	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
11¾	7¾	Callahan Zinc Lead	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
131¾	118½	Can Pacific (10)	148	148	148	148¾	147¾
44½	28½	Central Leather	30¾	31¾	30¾	31¾	31¾
72¾	43¾	Central Leather pf	73¾	73¾	73¾	74	73¾
32¾	22¾	Cerro de Pasco Con	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
47¾	47¾	Chandler Motor (5)	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾
79	54	Ches & Ohio (4)	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾	
37	24	Chi Gt West & Alton pf	30¾	31	30¾	31	30¾
114½	84½	Chi Mil & St Paul	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾
39¾	29	Chi Mil & St P pf	43½	43½	43½	43½	43½
89¾	69	Chi & N'west (5)	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾
60¾	38¾	Chi Pneu Tool (4)	59¾	60¾	59¾	60¾	59¾
39¾	26¾	Chi Rock I & Pac	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾
93¾	72½	Chi R I & P pf (6)	84½	84½	84½	84½	84½
19¾	18¾	Chile Copper	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
33¾	23¾	Chino Copper	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
82¾	41	Coca-Cola (4)	78	78	74¾	78	
37	24	Col Fuel & Iron	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
114½	84½	Col Gas & El (6)	111½	112¾	111½	112¾	111½
8¾	1¾	Columbia Graphoph	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
21	5	Columbia Graph of	10	10	10	10	10
78¾	58¼	Com Tab Rec (4)	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾
70¾	55¾	Cons Gas (new) (4)	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
53¾	40	Continental Ins (8)	102¾	103¾	102¾	103¾	103
47¾	33¾	Corn Cot Gas (new)	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
124½	91¼	Corn Prod Ref (8)	134½	134½	134½	134½	134½
9¾	9	Cos Petroleum	14	14	13¾	13¾	13¾
53¾	21¾	Condes Co (4)	56	56	55	56	56
58¾	52¾	Crucible Steel	81	81	79¾	80	80¾
36¾	16¾	Cuban Amer Sug	38¾	39¾	38¾	39¾	39¾
19¾	8¼	Cuba Cane Sugar	18¾	19¾	18	18¾	19¾
19¾	8¾	Cuba Cane Sug pf	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾	48¾
21¾	15¾	Dome Mines (2)	42	42	42	42	42
169¾	118	Du Pont de Nem (8)	113¾	114½	113¾	114½	113¾
14¾	8¾	Eas' Stor Dur (8)	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
28	14¾	Elk Horn Coal	18¾	18¾	17½	18¾	18¾
23¾	9¾	Endicott-Johnson (8)	14	14	14	14	14
18¾	7	Erie	12¾	13	12¾	12¾	12¾
28¾	11¾	Erie 1st pref	22¾	23	22¾	23	22¾
107	75½	Famous Play (8)	89	89	88	89	89
19½	10¾	Fisk Rubber	10¾	11	10	10	10¾
8¾	4¾	Gen Am Tr Co (2)	87	87	86½	86½	86½
72¾	51¾	General Asphalt	67	68¾	67	68¾	68¾
72¾	51¾	General Electric	68¾	68¾	68¾	68¾	68¾
15¾	8¾	Gen Motors (5b)	14½	14½	14¾	14¾	14¾
43¾	30½	Gimbel Brothers	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
87¾	38¾	Goodrich (B F)	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾
86¾	70¾	Gt Northern pf (8)	78¾	78¾	78	78¾	78¾
49¾	33¾	Guantanamo Sug	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
9¾	6¾	Guantanamo Sugar	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
94¾	66¾	Gulf States Steel	80¾	80¾	80¾	82	82¾
37¾	21¾	Hudson Motor (2)	29	29	28¾	29	28¾
27¾	18¾	Hupp Mot Car (2)	28	28	28	28	27¾
118¾	87½	Illinois Central (7)	112¾	112¾	112¾	113	111¾
27¾	18¾	Inspiration Copper	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
27¾	18¾	Interboro Rap Tr	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
32¾	12¾	Invincible Oil	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
63¾	36	Int Mer Marine	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
37¾	21½	Int Mer Mar pf (4)	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾
32¾	18	Interboro Rap Tr	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
12¾	12¾	Invincible Oil	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
63¾	36	Int Nickel (2)	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾
63¾	36	Iron Products	60¾	60¾	58¾	60¾	60¾
39¾	24	Jewell Tea	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
37¾	34½	Jones Bros Tea (1)	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾
7½	4¾	Kansas & Gulf	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
43¾	34¾	Kayser & Co	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
85¾	54¾	Kelly Springfield	74¾	74¾	73¾	74¾	74¾
39¾	24¾	Kennecott Cop (2)	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾	38¾
24¾	9¾	Keystone Tire	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
72	66½	Lehigh Valley (3½)	68½	69½	68½	69½	69½
71¾	51¾	Lima Loco Wks (4)	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
23¾	11	Lowe's Inc	25½	25½	25½	25½	25½
107¾	74¾	Marland Oil (2)	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
39¾	23¾	Mack Trucks	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
33¾	23¾	Magma Copper	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
36	26	Mallinson & Co	36	36	36	36	36
32	22	Manhattan Shirt (3)	45	45	45	45	45
48¾	34¾	Marland Oil & R (4)	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
89¾	58¾	May Dep Stores (10)	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾	72
21¾	12¾	McIntyre Por M (1)	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
24½	14½	Mex Seaboard (2)	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
18	11	Middle St Oil (1.20)	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
78¾	58¾	Miami Copper	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾
25¾	18½	Missouri Pacific	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19
65¾	53	Missouri Pac pf	57	57	57	57	57
13	9	Moon Motors (½)	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
34¾	23¾	Montgomery Ward	25½	25½	25½	25½	25½
11¾	7¾	Mother Lode Coal	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
18¾	10¾	M K & T (new)	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
44¾	34¾	M K & T pf (new)	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
39¾	26¾	Nat Biscuit w I	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
139¾	113¾	Nat Lead (8)	135¾	135¾	135¾	135¾	135¾
19¾	13¾	Nat Supply Con	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
93¾	82	N O Tex & Mex (6)	92	92	92	92	92
107¾	90¾	N Y Central (8)	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
29¾	20	N Y N H & H	20¾	20¾	20	20	20¾
39¾	26¾	Norfolk & West (7)	116½	116½	116½	116½	116½
116	44¾	North American (3)	117¾	117¾	116¾	116¾	117
79¾	46¾	North Pacific (3)	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
39¾	29	Ohio Body & Blow	32	32	32	32	32
12¾	6¾	Orpheum Circ	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14
49¾	40¾	Okla Prod & Ref	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾
18¾	8	Otis Steel	12¾	12¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
24¾	24¾	Owens Bottle (2)	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
19	12	Packard N (Michigan	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
91¾	62¾	Pac Gas & Elec (6)	82	82	82	82	82¾
21¾	15¾	Pacific Oil (3)	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
49¾	40¾	Pan-Am Pet & T	80¾	80¾	79¾	79¾	80¾
72¾	49¾	Pan-Am Pet Cl B (3)	72¾	72¾	71½	71½	72¾
29¾	20	Penn Seaboard Stl	20¾	20¾	20	20	20¾
40	40	Pere Marquette	40	40¾	40	40¾	40
24¾	14¾	Phila Co (6)	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
84¾	34¾	Phillips Petrol (3)	65¾	67¾	67¾	67¾	68½
109¾	84¾	Pierce Oil	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
21¾	24¾	Producers & Ref (4)	83	83	83	83	83
66	66	Public Serv NJ (8)	99¾	100	98½	98½	99¾
109¾	84¾	Punta Alegre Sug	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾
84¾	84¾	Pure Oil (3)	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
12	12	Ray Consol Cop	14½	14½	14½	14½	14½
79¾	79¾	Reading (4)	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	80
41	41	Republic Steel	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
65¾	65¾	Rep Iron & Steel	65¾	67	65¾	67	65¾
82¾	82¾	Rep Iron & Steel pf	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
63	63	Reynolds Tob B (3)	69	69	69	69	68¾
84¾	84¾	Roy Ch NY sha (4.80)	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾	83¾
32¾	30¾	St Louis-San Fran	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
84¾	84¾	St Louis-San Fr pf	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾
84¾	84¾	St Louis S'western	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
84¾	84¾	St L s'west pf (5)	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
84¾	84¾	Santa Cecilia Sugar	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
18	18	Savage Arms	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	25
19¾	19¾	Seaboard Air L pf	12¾	12¾	12	12¾	12
84¾	84¾	Sears Roebuck (4)	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
12	12	Shattuck-Arizona	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
84¾	84¾	Sinclair Cons Oil (2)	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
84¾	84¾	Sinclair C Oil pf (6)	80½	80½	80½	80½	80½
84¾	84¾	Skelly Oil	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
84¾	84¾	Slosg-Shef Stl & L	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾
84¾	84¾	Southern Pac (6)	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
84¾	84¾	Southern Railway	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
84¾	84¾	Southern Ry pf (5)	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
84¾	84¾	Stand Oil of Cal (4)	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
84¾	84¾	Stand Oil N J W L	41¾	41¾	41	41¾	41¾
84¾	84¾	Stand Oil of Kan	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
84¾	84¾	Sterling Prod (4)	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
84¾	84¾	Stromberg Carb (4)	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
84¾	84¾	Studebaker (10)	116½	118½	116½	118½	116½
84¾	84¾	Submarine Boat	12	12	12¾	13	
84¾	84¾	Texas Co (4)	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
84¾	84¾	Texas Co (4)	49¾	49¾	48	48¾	48¾
84¾	84¾	Tex Gulf Sulp (4)	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
84¾	84¾	Tex Pac C & O (1)	23¾	24	23¾	24	23¾
84¾	84¾	Timken R B (3)	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
84¾	84¾	Tobacco Products	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
84¾	84¾	Tob Prod pf (7)	113½	114	113½	114	114
84¾	84¾	Trans Wld Air	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
84¾	84¾	Union Pacific (8)	141¾	141¾	141¾	141¾	141¾
84¾	84¾	Union Pac pf (4)	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾
84¾	84¾	United Drug	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
84¾	84¾	United Fr Inv	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
84¾	84¾	United Fr Inv pf	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
84¾	84¾	United Retail St (2)	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾
84¾	84¾	U S Cast I P Fy	32	32	31¾	32	32¾
84¾	84¾	U S Ind Alcohol	60¾	60¾	59¾	60¾	60¾
84¾	84¾	U S Rubber	81¾	81¾	80¾	81¾	81¾
84¾	84¾	U S Steel (8)	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾	107¾
84¾	84¾	Utah Copper (3)	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾
84¾	84¾	Utah Securities	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
84¾	84¾	Vanadium Corp	32¾	32¾	32	32¾	32
84¾	84¾	Va-Caro Chem	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾
84¾	84¾	Va-Caro Chem pf	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
84¾	84¾	Vivaudou (2)	19	19	19	19	19¾
84¾	84¾	Wabash	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
84¾	84¾	Wabash pf A	31	31	30¾	31	31
84¾	84¾	Wells-Fargo (6)	85¾	86¾	85¾	86¾	86¾
84¾	84¾	Western Maryland	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
84¾	84¾	Westinghs & Elc M (4)	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
84¾	84¾	Westinghs O & M	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
84¾	84¾	White Motors (4)	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾
84¾	84¾	White Oil (1)	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾
84¾	84¾	Wickwire Steel	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
84¾	84¾	Willys-Overland	8	8	8	8	7¾
84¾	84¾	Worthington Pump	35	35¾	35	35¾	35¾
84¾	84¾	Worthington Pump pf	88¾	89	88¾	89	89

Wall St. Gossip

ATLANTIC Fruit Company controlling interest is said to be backing plans for a new sugar refining company which aims at $1,000,000 pounds daily capacity in projected refinery.

LIMA Locomotive is still a street puzzle. American Locomotive engineers recently visited the plant, and this has led to merger talk.

PUNTA Alegre Sugar is talked of for Spring dividend.

AMERICAN Smelting & Refining is being discussed to pay 5 per cent. on common before May.

WESTERN Union is being most confidently booked on expectation it will pay 4 instead of 7 per cent. before many moons.

WILLIAM WEIGLEY, JR., Company, recently reported profit $6,146,838 after taxes, against $3,710,677 in 1921.

STEWART Manufacturing Corporation, subsidiary of Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corporation, has called balance of preferred for retirement April 1 at 110 and accumulated dividends.

EDMUNDS & Jones Corporation for 1922 reports net profits before Federal taxes $444,638, against $108,215 in 1921.

UNITED Profit Sharing for 1922 reports net profit of $770,650, subject to Federal tax, against $266,804 in 1921.

INTERNATIONAL Nickel Company for nine months ended December 31, 1922, reports net of $17,937 after charges and Federal taxes, depreciation and depletion, equivalent to twenty cents a share on $6,813,606 preferred, against deficit of $641,678 in corresponding period of 1921.

ILLINOIS Central Railway has been granted permission by Commerce commission to obtain control by lease of Chicago, Memphis & Gulf Railway.

ORDERS to put in operation Youngstown Hanna blast furnace of Republic Iron & Steel Co., idle since November, 1920, have been issued.

U. S. S. Candy Stores, Inc., for 1922 show surplus of $100,894 after charges, depreciation, etc., equivalent to eight cents a share on 1,133,752 shares of no-par common against deficit of $1,108,751 in 1921.

HERCULES Powder Company for 1922 shows net of $2,254,955, after charges and taxes, equivalent after preferred dividends to $11.16 a share on $14,300,000 common, against $820,964, or $3.45 a share on $7,150,000 common in 1921.

UNITED States Tobacco Company, formerly Weyman-Bruton Company, for 1922 shows net $2,013,315 after charges, equivalent after preferred dividends to $5.14 a share on 317,902 shares no-par common, against $1,873,231, or $19.27 a share on $7,948,520 common in 1921.

Points in Tuesday's Market

Total sales—New York, 1,453,700 shares; Boston, 30,230 shares.

Most active issue in New York—Cuba Cane Sugar pfd, 40,100 shares.

Most active issue in Boston—United Shoe, 2,312 shares.

Total sales, January 1, 1923, to date—New York, 29,733,000 shares.

Total sales, January 1, 1923, to date—Boston, 541,426 shares.

Corresponding period last year—New York, 23,442,500 shares.

Corresponding period last year—Boston, 687,539 shares.

Federal Mining & Smelting declared quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent. on preferred, payable March 15, stock of record February 28.

New York Curb

By Cosmopolitan News Service.

Latest quotations on New York Curb were:

Angio American Oil	2¼	2⅜	2¼
Boston & Wyoming	2	2	2
Cities Service B	3	3	3
Cities Service pf	78	78	78
Consolidated Copper	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Durant Motors	25¾	25¾	25¾
Fleischman	42	42	42
Galena Signal Oil	47	47	47
Glen Alden Coal	27	27	27
Gulf Oil	22¾	22¾	22¾
Hayes Wheel	22¾	22¾	22¾
Hevia Mining	1	1	1
Mexican Gulf Sulphur	7¼	7¼	7¼
Indiana Pipe Line	87	87	87
International Petroleum	17¾	17¾	17¾
Magnolia Petroleum	101½		
Marland Oil	39¾	39¾	39¾
Mexican Oil Corporation	1	1	1
Mexico Oil	1 9-16	1 9-16	1 9-16
Mohawk Corporation	74¾	74¾	74¾
Radio Corporation of America	3¾	3¾	3¾
Salt Creek Producers	26¾	26¾	26¾
Southern States	2	2	2
Standard Oil of Indiana	46¾	46¾	46¾
Standard Oil of Kentucky	265	265	265
Standard Oil of New York	26¾	26¾	26¾
Stanfield Steel Candy Stores	4	4	4
Universal Oil (new)	19¾	19¾	19¾
Yellow Taxi	1½	1½	1½

Boston Curb

Boston Curb quotations follow:

	Previous	Latest
Boston Clear Creek	55c	55c
Boston Ely	45c	45c
Cadillac	50c	50c
Chief	4¼	4¼
Chief Consolidated	4¼	4¼
Crystal	3	3
Davis	3 15-16	3 15-16
Emp Iron	4¼	4¼
Goldfield Deep	3c	3c
Gold Hood	3½c	3½c
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FINANCE AND BUSINESS

By H. C. Forbes

Can a man honestly earn $1,000,000 a year?

Can a salary of $100,000 a year actually be earned?

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Every time Washington probers force heads of gigantic enterprises to reveal the salaries they draw, the reporters make more or less of a sensation over the figures. This has happened again this week.

Yesterday's newspapers put big headlines over a Washington dispatch giving the principal salaries paid by the leading Standard Oil Companies.

Chairman Bedford and President Teagle of the Standard Oil of New Jersey, the Senate Committee made known, get $125,000 a year each, while five vice-presidents draw $100,000 each.

President Folger of the Standard Oil of New York gets $100 000 and two vice-presidents $50,000.

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Now, while it is very unusual for vice-presidents to get $100,000 a year, it is by no means rare for heads of mammoth corporations to receive more than $125,000 a year altogether.

Some of them draw compensation exceeding $1,000,000 a year in boom years, most of this coming in the form of a neat percentage of the profits.

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Judge Gary of the Steel Corporation and Frank Purnell, boss of Bethlehem Steel are rated as million-dollar-a-year men in good times.

I know one alcoholic mill who drew a net salary of $750,000 a year before he became financially interested in another company. And I understand there are quite a few automobile giants who receive total compensation of several hundred thousand dollars a year when profits run high. W. C. Durant did not draw any salary from General Motors, but he figured that his services were worth at least $500,000 a year.

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It is becoming more and more common for directors of tremendously important organizations to hold out an inducement to the men they want as president a share of the net profits in addition to a salary of $100,000 or $75,000 or $36,050 a year. Very, very often the success or failure of an enterprise is determined by the calibre of the man at its helm. Obviously if the directors of a big concern that is losing money can get hold of a president capable of transforming the losses into profits of millions a year he is cheap at $100,000 or $250,000.

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In a little book I am about to publish on "The Highest Possible Wage. How to Earn It," I say:

"How much wages can be earned?

"Every man's wage-earning capacity is different.

"Take, for example, Secretary of Labor Davis. He gets $12,000 a year. You will admit, I am sure, that he earns every penny of it.

"Next take the man who is making more money than any other human being in the world today, Henry Ford. He has been making probably between $50,000,000 and $75,000,000 a year for some time. Yet he not generally admitted that Ford honestly earns all that he gets.

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ARMOUR & COMPANY CONTROL IS SHIFTED

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Control of Armour & Company has passed from the hands of J. Ogden Armour, chairman of the board and holder of approximately 25 per cent. of the common stock, to a committee of three Chicago and New York bankers. They are Stephen Reynolds, president of the Continental and Commercial National Bank; Samuel McRoberts, chairman of the committee, a former treasurer of Armour & Company, now president of the Metropolitan Trust Company of New York, and Albert H. Wiggin, president of the Chase National Bank of New York.

Formal announcement of this development in the affairs of Armour & Company is scheduled to follow the annual meeting of the stockholders, postponed from Jan. 23 to Feb. 20. Simultaneously it is expected announcement will be made of the absorption of Morris & Company. Mr. Armour will retire as chairman of the board of directors.

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LARGER BUYING BY INVESTORS IS FAVORED

By MERRYLE S. RUKEYSER

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New York, Feb. 14.—Every word of caution uttered against the indiscriminate purchase of new stocks from strangers is added to the sales resistance which stock venders seek to efface.

The chorus of voices shouting "beware" in the world of stocks and bonds is yelling louder than ever and, though the purpose is virtuous, there is a danger of overplaying the hand.

Suspicion is being aroused instead of faith and confidence on which proper business relations rest. There should, of course, be no compromise with lying and misrepresentation about securities. The promoter who capitalizes hot air and sells it in the form of neatly-engraved stock certificates should be ruthlessly exposed!

The misbrander who calls a highly speculative security a safe investment should be destroyed with critcism. Such a negative program is in the interest of the public, but at least the police work paralyze initiative and discourage experiment in industry. It is necessary to supplement warnings with positive advice.

The layman, in hearing recurrent warnings in the press and from trade bodies against financial charlatans, should not be oblivious of the fact that there are also in the United States thousands of State and National banks and private firms of high probity which merit his trust and confidence. It is not enough that the public should learn to avoid financial quacks and fake securities—the public should be encouraged to buy sound investments in increasing volumes.

Investment differs from speculation in degree of safety. The investor seeks primarily safety of principal and assured regularity of income. The speculator accepts the larger risks in the hope of making extraordinary profits.

Speculation should not be confused with fraud. An unsuccessful speculation is quite different from a false-face promotion. The former marks failure after legitimate efforts to develop a profitable business had been made.

The latter, the fraudulent promotion, was never intended to succeed as a business enterprise. It was merely camouflage to get innocent folk to exchange golden dollars for worthless pieces of stock.

Honest business has a high morality rate and inevitable losses are part of the cost of speculation.

Speculation, which involves risk taking, is a necessary part of economic life under existing conditions and should not be stifled. In order that some may invest, while others must speculate.

But only those endowed with adequate mental and financial resources should undertake the luxury of speculation, which should be limited to what the security buyer can afford to lose.

The small individual, with no accumulation of capital should concentrate on investment securities which will not make him get rich quick, but will separate him from poverty.

MEDFORD LOAN IS TAKEN IN BOSTON

Medford has sold a temporary revenue loan of $75,000, maturing November 8, 1923, to Harris, Forbes & Co., at 3.05 per cent. discount, plus $1.25 premium. Other bidders were: First National Bank, Boston, 3.06 per cent., plus $64; R. L. Mosley & Co., 3.09 per cent.; Brown Bros. & Co., 3.97 per cent., plus $4.50; Shawmut Corporation, 3.97 per cent., plus $12.50; Estabrook & Goodwin, 3.99 per cent., plus $11; Old Colony Trust Company, 4 per cent. plus $3.25; and Goldman, Sachs & Co., at 4.07 per cent.

PRICES UNSETTLD IN LONDON MARKET

Prices were unsettled in the London stock market. Consols were 54¾; British war loans 4½s, 95⅝, off ⅛; 5s, 100⅝; 4½s, 96; 4s, 101⅞, up ⅛; funding 4s, 85⅜, off ⅛; French 5s, 94⅛, off ⅛; Hungarian 6s, 4⅛s, 6; 4s, 5½; Rio Tinto, 33⅝, off ¼.

Income Tax Returns Must Be Made in Short Time

Only a comparatively short time remains to make your income tax returns. State papers must be in by March 1 and Federal papers by March 15. Services of an expert in accountancy are placed by the Boston American's financial department at convenience of its readers to solve problems without charge.

Mail inquiries to Attorney Oliver A. Wyman, No. 150 Congress street, Boston. He is both an Massachusetts' leading authorities on income tax details. Send stamped envelope.

REAL ESTATE HAPPENINGS

Nine large apartment houses will be erected in the Fenway as the result of sales of several large plots of vacant land.

For the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston John C. Kiley & Co. have sold a total plot of 55,896 square feet, which in three plots as follows: 19,950 square feet, with frontage of 150 feet on Boylston street, to Morris Rudnick; 9,177 square feet, with frontage of sixty-nine feet on Boylston street, to Sol Rotenberg and Morris J. Rudnick; 26,769 square feet, with frontage of 200 feet, to Samuel Rudnick.

This property, which is a portion of what was once the Dana land, was acquired by Cardinal O'Connell in 1911. It is taxed in conjuction with two acres adjoining on Ipswich street for $1.50 a square foot.

The heirs of Robert Treat Paine have sold to Samuel Rudnick 4,876 square feet adjoining, which will be used in connection with the other lot acquired by Mr. Rudnick. The assessed value is $9,800. Upon these four parcels will be erected immediately six five-story apartment houses.

On a plot of 29,826 square feet of land on the Riverway and Pilgrim road, near the junction of Brookline avenue, Joseph F. Rudnick will erect three large apartment building. This land was sold by John C. Kiley & Co. and Edward B. Miles for Samuel Dearborn and Mary Dulin. The purchaser was represented by C. L. and R. B. Fishel.

BUSINESS SECTION LEASES

The entire building at No. 71-83 Federal street, directly opposite the new Chamber of Commerce building on the corner of Franklin street, has been leased for a long term of years to A. W. Perry, Inc., by E. Schlor Whitney, guardian. This property consists of a land area of 11,785 square feet, covered by a remodelled six-story building, occupied in part by the Library Bureau, Richard G. Thibaut, Inc., and the Bradstreet Co. It is assessed for $260,000, of which $253,500 is on the land.

The building 161-175 South street, corner of Kingston, has been leased, by William A. Gaston et al, trustees, for a long term of year to W. Perry, Inc. This is an eight-story modern fireproof building on 5,839 square feet of land. It has a frontage on South street of about 105 feet and runs through in the rear to Utica place. It is assessed at $340,000, of which $182,500 is on the land.

C. W. Whittier & Bro. represented the lessor in these transactions.

COTTON OUTPUT FIGURES ARE GIVEN

Cotton consumed during January amounted to 610,315 bales of lint and 49,894 of linters, compared with 627,946 of lint and 49,078 of linters in December and 576,669 of lint and 43,626 of linters in January last year, the Census Bureau announced today.

Announcements

DEATHS

TRAINOR—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Patrick J. Evans, 18 Essex st., Salem, Mass., Feb. 13, beloved husband of the late Ann Trainor. Funeral from the rooms of John J. Connolly, 1409 Washington st., Boston, Thursday, Feb. 15, at 8:30 a.m., thence to the Immaculate Conception church, Salem, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Formerly of the South End. Late member Ringgold Council.

DONOVAN—In South Boston, Feb. 13, Daniel F., beloved husband of Theresa (Shepley) Donovan.

Funeral from his late residence, 19 Pacific st., Thursday, Feb. 15, at 8:30. High mass at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

PHEAID—In Wahan, Feb. 13, Barbara Pigeaud, wife of John W. Pigeaud, in her 45th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her brother-in-law, Mrs. Frederick C. Lincoln, Cottage st., Wahan, on Thursday, Feb. 15, at 2 o'clock.

RAU—Suddenly, in the city, Feb. 12, Bertha A. Rau, wife of Charles A. Rau, aged 64 years.

Funeral from her late residence, 51 Boylston street, Brookline, Thursday, Feb. 15, at 8:15 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Mary of the Assumption church, Brookside av., at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

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LOST—Pocketbook containing money, probably Monday morning, from automobile between 87 Commercial st., Boston, and Beacon st. Reward if returned to above address or Tel. Back Bay 4651.

LOST—Sunday evening on Commonwealth, Brighton, Boylston, Tremont, Washington st. Gold wrist watch, leather bag, containing money and bankbook. Reward if returned to 215 Commonwealth ave.

LOST—Friday, between Boston Ice Co. and glenwood rd., purse containing receipts and money; reward. RD. GAUDET, 116 Glenwood rd., Somerville, 249-R.

LOST—Brown puddle dog, white legs breast, neck, tip of tail and nose, with bird dog spots, wearing harness. Call Somerville 2737-M.

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They will steal cherries, grapes, oranges, bananas and other fruits.

Government reports show that the cities of the United States lose $25,000,000 annually from destruction of rats.

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BOSTON AMERICAN

Largest Evening Circulation in New England—February 14, 1923

Expenditure for public improvements per capita in the city of Boston during 1920 was $7.42, according to approximate population.

Probe Veterans' Bureau

High Time Competent Director Was Appointed and Politics Wiped Out

Conditions in the United States Veterans' Bureau apparently are in an awful mess. What was intended to be a life-saving station for the disabled ex-service men has been changed into an arena for political football.

The director, Colonel Charles R. Forbes, has tendered his resignation and sailed abroad. No one seems to know whether he was disgusted with conditions and resented interference from above or whether he failed to make good on the job.

In the meantime the work is being directed by acting chiefs who are neither sure of their authority to settle claims nor their tenure of office. The situation is disgraceful. Little thought is being given to the claims of the disabled for compensation. There is consideration only for the claims of politicians for the spoils of office.

Take the case of the bureau branch in Boston, for instance. It is supposed to serve the disabled of New England. When Colonel Forbes came here with a loud tooting of horns a few weeks ago he asserted that he was going to "clean out [illegible] and cliques." The manager was allowed to resign and several transfers were made, among the number [illegible] two competent officials.

An acting manager was appointed, probably the best equipped man for the place in New England. His war service and bureau experience have amply proved his worth. But because he happens to be considered a Democrat in private life he is not to be thought of by the Republican politicians who have the fate of the bureau in their keeping.

The best man is not wanted for the job. He must be someone who will wear the livery of Senator Lodge of this State and Senator Moses of New Hampshire.

He need know nothing about the job and care less so long as he needs the place badly enough to serve the politicians rather than the soldiers and their dependents.

The situation has become insufferable. It is time the soldier organizations demanded of President Harding the appointment of a disinterested, unselfish man, a veteran preferably, but, above all else, one who is capable and courageous enough to handle the job from the standpoint of justice and not from that of political expediency.

It is high time for the investigation by Senators Walsh and Sutherland, which has been authorized by the United States Senate.

Electric Lighting Rates

Mayor Calls Attention to Saving to 100,000 Families Through Fight Made by the City and the Boston American

Mayor Curley in his inaugural address calls attention to the fact that more than 100,000 families in the metropolitan district will be saved in their electric lighting bills more than two million and a half dollars every year hereafter in consequence of the fight which the city of Boston and the Boston American have been making during the last two years to reduce the charges of the Edison Electric Lighting Company for electricity.

The Mayor very properly takes much personal credit for the result, because he, with the City Council, has stood loyally behind counsel for the Boston American and special counsel for the city in this contest. The Mayor and the City Council are proposing to continue to stand behind this contest. The three successful candidates in this last election are also pledged to stand behind counsel in the contest until such further reductions in the rates have been made as counsel think are proper.

We know of but one dissenting voice in the City Council. That gentleman carefully kept himself away from a meeting of the City Council at which Attorneys Hill and MacFarland reported the progress of the fight. This gentleman stayed in the anteroom, telling that he was opposed to further expense. Apparently he had received all the information he wanted about the contest from other sources than the city's representatives.

However, neither what he possesses in character, ability or influence will give him the power even to be felt in opposition to the continuance of the contest.

Wise Little Republics

The World Should Imitate Them

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The republics of Central America, encouraged by their big Uncle Sam, agree to limit armaments.

They will forbid sending arms from one republic to another, use only ten flying machines in case of war and buy no battleships.

Sensible little republics. With the Monroe Doctrine to protect them from all attack, except among themselves, they might as well save their money. If only all the world would act as wisely.

Our Jury System

It is not often that we have had occasion to praise former Attorney-General Herbert Parker for his relations to public questions. It is, therefore, an unusual pleasure for us to do so with respect to his defence of the jury system in an address to the law students at the Phillips Brooks House at Harvard.

It is true that a lot of foolish people are attacking our jury system. They are of the same type of men as those whom more than two generations ago Daniel Webster denounced in his March 7 speech in language the eloquence and accuracy of which makes it imperishable. He said:

> I am not one of those who when their perspicacity enables them to see a spot on the sun thinks that a reason why it should be struck from the heavens.

There are types of men, who, whenever they think they have seen a jury render a wrong verdict, believe that the whole jury system ought to be condemned. No sensible lawyer or sensible judge who has any sincere belief in the democratic form of government and in general justice would for a single moment see our jury system abolished or emasculated. It is not perfect, because nothing that is human ever was or ever will be perfect. But it is the best thing that has come down to us from long prescription.

The jury system does not need Mr. Parker's defence. But we are all glad that Mr. Parker chooses to defend it. It does Mr. Parker's patriotism great credit and we are very glad indeed to register this contribution of his to the public service.

A Nut May Not Grow on Any Tree

By T. E. Powers

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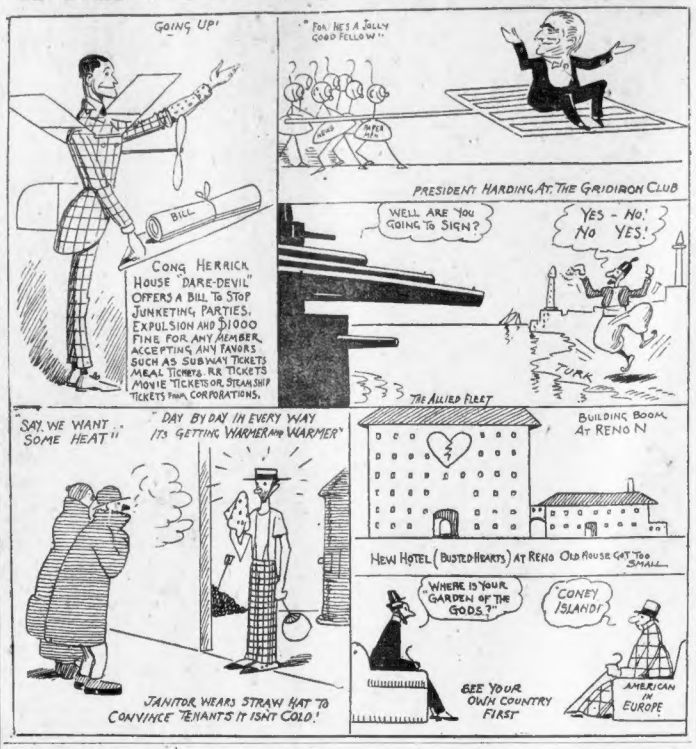
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SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

IGNORANCE

By Bruno Lessing

I WROTE recently that there was one passage in the Bible which I could not understand, namely, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom." I did not see how any kind of fear could lead to wisdom. Mr. Norman Robertson of Seattle has kindly enlightened me.

"I never could comprehend the fear of the Lord," he writes, "until I came upon a statement of Solomon, 'The fear of the Lord is to hate evil,' Proverbs viii.13. And later in the evening I read, 'Behold: the fear of the Lord that is wisdom; and to depart from evil is understanding,' Job xxviii. 28."

I now realize that the phrase, "fear of the Lord" was used by the biblical writers as being equivalent to a hatred of evil. And that is something we can all understand. And Mr. Robertson deserves thanks.

A hatred of evil is the beginning of wisdom. The greatest evil in the world is ignorance. The moment you begin to hate ignorance, you are started on the upward path which leads to wisdom.

Ignorance is to be hated, then, according to the Bible. But if you value your comfort and prosperity on earth, you must fear it, too. An ignorant physician will kill you. An ignorant preacher will mislead you. An ignorant politician will rob you of your liberty.

Beware of ignorance.

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Monkeys Draw Over Pastors

CHILLICOTHE, Ohio, Feb. 14. —Directing attention to the burning, in effigy, of Christ and God, at Moscow, recently, Rev. C. C. McKinney, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, deplored the lack of Sunday observance in this city.

"Sunday is not the Day of the Lord," he asserted, pointing out that on the same day the Russians burned the effigies the leading attraction here was a "monkey hippodrome," while "Chillicothe pastors were preaching to empty pews."

THE VOICE OF NEW ENGLAND

No Attention Paid to Anonymous Communications

No Let-Up

Editor Boston American:

We take off our hats to the Boston American in the expose of the coal situation. I hope you will not let up until the job is finished, that is, after election next Fall, and later.

GEORGE W. BURNEAU.

Played Golf

Editor Boston American:

Seems good to see that your newspaper comes out with the facts on the coal proposition. If the rest of the papers had enough red American blood in their veins to do likewise there would be no shortage of coal. Last Summer, when the operators shut down their mines, our officials were so busy playing golf, little they cared what the Winter would bring on.

What we need is more men like Mr. Hearst. The third new party in 1924, with Mr. Hearst the head of the ticket. Every true American should vote to send him to the White House at Washington.

H. L. TORGE.

Newton Highlands.

Guard Against Future

Editor Boston American:

The efforts of the Boston American to aid the distressed families to procure coal and thereby relieve the suffering of thousands of our poor is worthy of the praise of every public-spirited citizen. That there has been terrible suffering, causing illness and distress, is well known.

Now the facts as presented by the Boston American, of large pockets of coal so near us, puts the burden of responsibility where it justly belongs.

Measures should be taken immediately, first to relieve the want, and, secondly, to see to it at once and for all time that such a condition should not arise in the future.

WILLIAM J. WALSH,
City Councillor.

Danger to Autoists

Editor Boston American:

I note in your campaign to warn motorists of danger of carbon monoxide, and wish to commend same and at the same time to ask you to give greater prominence to that which has hardly been noted in the papers and that is "that carbon monoxide is a colorless, odorless gas." I think that the reason so many are killed from it is that they are in ignorance that the gas cannot be detected except by the resultant drowsiness and that they should be told to immediately leave any garage or automobile in which they feel drowsy. I am not an auto owner, but pass this along to you. G.

THE HELPING HAND

Do Not Inclose Stamps. Letters Will Not Be Answered Personally. No Attention Paid to Telephone Calls

Thanks for Slippers

Editor Helping Hand:

I received the dancing slippers through your paper. I thank you very much for them.

EMMA.

ED. NOTE — We are only the liaison officer. Thanks belong to the shock troops of generous readers who have so nobly fought trouble and need.

Many Offers of Cloth

Editor Helping Hand:

I have some patchwork pieces that I would like to send to "Bernadette." Such a plucky child working under such a handicap! Kindly send me her address.

VIRGINIA.

ED. NOTE—A great many offers from other generous readers have been forwarded to "Bernadette." May we send your offer to some other worthy person?

Overshoes to Give

Editor Helping Hand:

I have a sled which a girl from three to six years of age could enjoy. Also a pair of overshoes which might be used by a girl of six or seven. MRS. G. B. L.

ED. NOTE — The address of Mrs. M. K., who has a large family of girls and who is in need of help, will be sent you.

Baby Clothing

Editor Helping Hand:

I wonder if there is anyone who has some infant's clothing they are not going to use any more? We expect a little mite within a month, and my husband, working only one-half of the time, is unable to supply me with funds to get warm clothing. I hope I am not asking too much.

MRS. E. C. J.

Man's Suit

Editor Helping Hand:

I wonder if some kind person has a man's suit size 44 that they could give my husband, as I owe many bills and have five children and he makes small pay? He also needs an overcoat and shoes size 8. I wonder if someone could give me some dishes, as I have only one cup and a few plates at present. C. B.

WORDS FROM THE LIPS OF WISE MEN

DOING nothing is equivalent to doing wrong.

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Let your practices precede your precepts.

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All great men are to some degree inspired.

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He is not poor that has not much—poor is he that craves much.

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Home is home, though it be ever so homely.

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Where honor ceases, there knowledge decreases.

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Hopes delayed hang the heart upon tenter-hooks.

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Many a man has cut his throat with his tongue.

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Excess of ceremony shows want of breeding.

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Where the cause is just, the small conquers the great.

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He that cannot be counselled cannot be helped.

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The mind ought sometimes to be diverted, that it may return the better to thinking.

Bus Guards to Learn English

PARIS, Feb. 14. — "English spoken"—even in the Paris auto buses—this is the latest compliment which the Paris Traction Company has decided to pay to the Anglo-Saxon visitors in the gay city.

A night school to teach English to the guards and other employes of the company was started recently. Lessons in English are given to the employes free of charge. Already a number of them speak a little of the language of Shakespeare, and they will attend classes at the expense of his company to perfect their accomplishments. Men who have a good knowledge of English will be engaged as interpreters and be distinguished by a brassard bearing "interpreter."

The autobus lines chosen will of course be those most frequently used by the English and Americans, including the line near the railway station.

Now all that is to be hoped is that these needed persons will be at hand when the French conductor is having difficulty with his foreign passengers.

TIME FOR FRANCE TO LAY CARDS ON THE TABLE

By Herbert Kaufman

AS France tightens her grip on the Ruhr, the velvet glove begins to split and a mailed fist shows through.

After tonight no metal can be shipped into unoccupied territory. Thus a complete embargo on steel and iron is established. German ministers are prohibited from exercising any authority in the seized district.

The London Times, alarmed at Poincare's assumption of sovereignty over the basin region, insists that the Paris government should now define its aims and inform the other signators to the Versailles treaty how far it intends to go—and what ultimate measures may be adopted in collecting reparations.

No one is aware that any limit has been set upon the area of possible seizure.

Andre Tardieu, who in the event of Millerand's fall, will likely be President or Premier, upbraids the present administration for leniency and demands harsher measures.

In 1920 Tardieu confided to the writer that he did not believe a League of Nations would ever prove an effective instrument.

An economic iron maiden is not likely to prove effective, either. The iron maiden, you will remember, was a spike-studded cage in which German prisoners were placed and slowly squeezed to death.

Britain and America maintain that they fought Germany to bind her over to peace, not to national execution.

Germany should pay—but not quite that much.

France must show her cards. Conquest was not in the deck when we backed and banked the game.

We Can't Play in Their Yard

It's time for a showdown in the international oil game, too. The Royal-Dutch-Shell group, evading the law against leases to citizens of countries which do not reciprocate, is buying into coast companies and already has a quarter of a million acres of American petroleum lands.

But our corporations, in desperate need of foreign supply bases, are locked out from British-Netherland territory. We can't go into Mesopotamia or the East Indies or Africa. The huge earth-straddling colossus means to hold monopoly in all colonies and mandates.

Secretary Hoover and the Federal Trade Commission want the matter looked into. So does every automobile owner facing dollar gas, unless we tear the Dutch-British grip from world supplies.

They Sailed Away in a Cockleshell

The story of "Shell" is an industrial fairy tale. A London widow named Samuels and her two sons came to Margate. They gathered sea shells, glued them on hand mirrors, picture frames and "what-nots," and soon had a flourishing souvenir booth.

The little shop grew into a factory. Shell novelties appeared on every beach. One of the youngsters saw some Japanese boxes, rarities in those days. They were beautifully made and very cheap. Fine for shell jewel caskets and the like.

He wrote to Yokohama for estimates. Out of that casual transactions grew an enormous import business. One Oriental contract led to another. The Samuels boys soon had their fingers in all sorts of Asiatic pies—and concessions.

The little cockleshells in which they sailed a fortune hunting, changed to trading vessels and came riding home from the mystic isles of the East, fleet upon fleet of tankers laden with liquid gold.

That's what "shell" means. "There's magic in the name." Romance fills her lamps with such stuff.

The Little Lines in Your Lease

Read your lease. Each paragraph, front and back—particularly the fine print. Significant clauses are fond of lurking there.

Northcliffe once had to pay the biggest damages of his career because he overlooked a faint and seemingly unimportant line on a soap wrapper.

Every word and every punctuation mark that skilled lawyers use have their own cunning meanings, the best legal minds in the country worked out the standard forms that landlords use.

Louis Levinson, a New York banker, has just paid $11,250 advance rent because his check wasn't on hand the day it was due. Supreme Court ruling.

Carlessness like Levinson may force you into court or on the pavements. Keep a roof over your head.

Throwing a Trowel in the Works

Housing relief isn't so certain this afternoon; $5,000,000 won't be invested in new building operations if labor doesn't stand by its contracts. Banks won't advance the money to finance runaway operations.

Brooklyn plasterers, capitalizing a local shortage, play one contractor against another, repudiate the union's $10 scale and demand $20 a day after April 1.

Whereupon lathers follow suit and declare for piece work. They'll get as high as $4 an hour if they get their way. This sort of thing is insufferable. And knocks the wind out of confidence. If it keeps on, construction will be suspended again. Steady advance in plumbing and other supplies isn't helping, either.

Conditions must be stabilized and fundamental factors fixed. Or capital will run back to cyclone cellar.

Mrs. Small Favors a Minimum Wage

Such profiteering incommodes the rich, but it devastates the poor.

Clerks and teachers, shop girls and struggling young families and penurious old age pay the bill.

Mrs. Small, with three fatherless children and a laundry job, from 6 in the evening until 2 in the morning, won't keep her rooms at fourteen a month if this keeps up or there'll be less than a dollar and a half a day left to feed four.

Four dollars an hour for the lathers—thirty-five cents for her.

The joint legislative conference of New York State organizations exhibits the small family as one big argument why women should have a minimum wage and an eight-hour day.

Gentlemen who don't assent should keep up their insurance premiums.

Mrs. Small is paying the piper because her husband didn't pay his premiums.

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